



The *Wanderer*.com

PRESORTED
STANDARD
U.S. Postage
PAID
Rochester, MA
02770 - permit #14

Volume 18, Issue 2 - Number 828

Serving Marion, Mattapoisett, and Rochester Since 1992

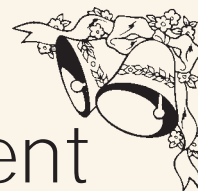
January 15, 2009

Winter Wonderland





A Wedding Invitation Makes a Lasting Statement



The Ultimate Touch of Elegance for Your Wedding
Now 25% Off

CRANES

William Aurther

All Wedding Invitations
through March 14th
at

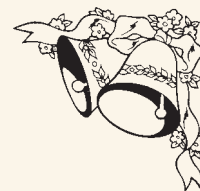
Isabelle's

Ropewalk Mall, Mattapoisett

(508) 758-7960

Mon.-Sat. 9:30-5:30

Sweet
Pea
Designs



In the Running

Familiar Names to Seek Tri-Town Offices

By Kenneth J. Souza

To paraphrase Claude Rains' character in *Casablanca*, tri-town voters are likely to see some of the "usual suspects" on their annual town election ballots this spring.

With the recent news that he wouldn't seek re-election to a third three-year term, Mattapoisett Selectman **Stephen J. Lombard** has cleared the way for someone else to ascend to the town's highest office. But there's already one contender in the running for Mr. Lombard's vacancy — former Finance Committee (FinCom) member and current ORR District School Committee member **Paul A. Silva** of Bayview Avenue, who took out papers and has already returned the necessary signatures to the Town Clerk's office.

"I'm running because there are tough times ahead for Mattapoisett and given my background with the Finance Committee (FinCom), having served for five years and as chairman for two, I think I can bring some of that experience to the Selectmen's office," Mr. Silva said.



Above: Sippican Choral Society director Brian Roderick directs members of the choral group during a recent rehearsal at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church. Rehearsals for the 2009 Spring concert, "Days of Blue and Gray," are now taking place and new members may join until January 26 and no auditions are required. Rehearsals will be held on Monday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 pm in the Mattapoisett Congregational Church's Reynard Hall, 27 Church Street, Mattapoisett. For more information, please contact: osuch1@aol.com. (Photo by Robert Chiarito).

On the cover: Mattapoisett landmark "Salty the Seahorse" sits watching over the town's Dunseith Gardens on the corner of Route 6 and North Street on a cold, winter day. The Mattapoisett Land Trust will be sponsoring a Kubb game on Sunday afternoon, January 18 at the site. Kubb is said to be an old Swedish game whose origins may date back to the time of the Vikings and is a cross between bocce ball and horseshoes. The games begin at 1:30 pm and for more information, you may contact the Mattapoisett Land Trust at info@mattlandtrust.org or by calling 508-758-7849. (Photo by Robert Chiarito).

www.wanderer.com

Mr. Silva, who currently serves on the Old Rochester Regional School Committee and as treasurer with the Mattapoisett River Valley Water District Committee, also previously sat on Mattapoisett's Marine Advisory Board (MAB).

Former Selectman **Raymond Andrews**, who was narrowly defeated by sitting Selectman George Randall last year, has confirmed he will not be running against Mr. Silva and, in fact, has officially endorsed his candidacy.

"Paul is the perfect candidate for this year's open seat on the Board of Selectmen," Mr. Andrews said. "He



Above: Elizabeth Leidhold of the Marion Natural History Museum recently presented several programs on leatherback turtles at schools in Dartmouth under the auspices of the Buzzards Bay Action Committee (BBAC). The BBAC is a non-profit organization made up of 12 of the municipalities within the Buzzards Bay watershed. These programs are offered to schools at no charge and the BBAC is applying for a grant to fund more of these programs for local schools in the future.

In This Issue

Birthdays.....	62
Classified Advertisements.....	60
Crossword & Horoscope.....	56
Happenings.....	50
Legal Advertisements.....	58
Local Tide Listing.....	70
Milestones	46
Movies & Entertainment	48
ORCTV Schedule.....	52
Police Log.....	54
Real Estate Transactions.....	69
Regional Lunch Menus.....	54
Sports.....	15

On the Internet at: www.wanderer.com

Cathay Temple



Refreshing
Cocktails

Blue Plate Specials
Every Wednesday

Early Bird Specials
4-6pm every evening

Kenny Richards
Sunday Nights

Flat
Screen TV
Come Watch
the Game!

All Dinners Available without MSG

24 County Road, Route 6, Mattapoisett
195 to Exit 19, take a right on Route 6
We are on the left.

508.758.2361

Open Wednesday thru Sunday at 4pm, Closed Mon. & Tues

Fabulous
Foundations by Nancy



SALE!
40% OFF
Sleepwear
Loungewear
&
Camis



Offering
one-on-one
customer service
& professional
bra fittings.

Bra Sizes
28A
thru
48K

Closed Sun. & Mon.
Tues., Wed., Fri., & Sat. 10am-5pm
Thurs. 10am-8pm

515 State Road (Rt. 6) N. Dartmouth
508-996-2860

NO KIDDING!

More than just a toy store!

SALE

Selected Items throughout the Store

AT THE ROPEWALK 508-758-3323
33 COUNTY ROAD, MATTAPOISETT, MA 02739
Hours: Mon. -Sat. 9:30-5:30

has a strong background in both finance as former Fin-Com member and chairman, and educational issues as a current member of the ORR District School Committee. I am pleased that he has taken out his papers and he has my 100 percent support. His background and ability to see the bigger picture of the town's needs, especially in the financial sector, will be a tremendous asset to the community. This is all the more critical in light of the challenging times that lay ahead for Mattapoisett. I cannot think of anyone else more qualified to fill Steve Lombard's seat."

Other available positions on the May 19 Mattapoisett Town Election ballot include:

- Board of Assessors – one seat, three years (**David Kiernan**, incumbent);
- Mattapoisett School Committee – two seats (**Virginia Callery Beams** and **Gracinda M. Knox**, incumbents);
- Trustee of Public Library – two seats (**Robert M. Walker** and **Marianne DeCosta**, incumbents);
- Town Moderator – one seat, one year (**John A. Eklund**, incumbent);
- Water/Sewer Commissioner – one seat, three years (**Christopher Jaskolka**, incumbent);
- Highway Surveyor – one seat (**Barry J. Denham**, incumbent);
- Board of Health – one seat, three years (**Russell J. Bailey**, incumbent);
- Planning Board – one seat (**Thomas Matthew**

Hair Affair & Yarns

358 Arnold Street, New Bedford, MA 02740

(7 blocks east of Buttonwood Park)

Everyday Sale Items

Range from 20%-80% OFF!

Hours: Mon. 10-3, Thurs. 9:30-7pm, Fri. 9:30-6pm, Sat. 8:30-5pm

508-997-6677

New Year's Resolution: Learn to Knit!



Phone: 508-758-1385
Architectural Design Service for Home Owners & Contractors

Tucker, incumbent);

- Mattapoissett Housing Authority – one seat

(**Cheryl A. Ellis**, incumbent);

- Community Preservation Committee – one seat

(**William O. Hall**, incumbent).

The deadline to take out papers in Mattapoissett is Friday, March 27. The last day to file papers with the Town Clerk's office is March 30. The last day to register to vote in the May 19 election is April 21.

Over in Rochester, there's already a contested race brewing for the open three-year Selectman's seat as both incumbent **Dan McGaffey** and Town Clerk **Naida Parker** have taken out papers for the position. Ms. Parker previously served two three-year terms as Selectman, while Mr. McGaffey is looking for his first second term.

Other positions slated to appear on the April 8 Rochester Town Election ballot:

- Town Moderator – one seat, three years (**Greenwood "Woody" Hartley III**, incumbent);

- Tree Warden – one seat, three years (**Jeff Eldridge**, incumbent);

- Board of Health – one seat, three years (**Dale Barrows**, incumbent);

- Board of Assessors – one seat, three years (**Jana Cavanaugh**, incumbent);

- Board of Library Trustees – two seats, three years (**Deborah Briggs** and **Wendy Keeler**, incumbents);

- Cemetery Commission – one seat, three years (**Peter MacGregor**, incumbent);

- Park Commission – one seat, three years (**Steven Grenier**, incumbent);

- Rochester Memorial School Committee – two seats, three years (**Robin Rounseville** and **Tina Rood**, incumbents).

The deadline to both take out and return papers

FRANK'S BARBER SHOP

Love-Lea-Acres
459 New Bedford Rd
Rochester, MA 02770
(508) 763-5559

Hours: Tues. - Fri. 1:00 PM - 9:00 PM
and Sat. 7:00 AM - 3:00 PM



THE Marion General Store

140 Front Street, Marion • Mon.-Sat. 8:30-5:30

508-748-0340 • 508-748-3349 (FAX)

Artisan Kitchen

Cinnamon Buns/Sticks

Scones - Muffins

Brownies Mini Pies

Quiches

Raspberry Cream Cheese

Crumb Buns

Assorted Cookies

Assortment of Fresh

Baked Breads

Wicked Natural

Raspberry Chocolate Jam

Blueberry Chocolate Jam

Caramel Mustard Dip

Mustard Dill Sauce & Dip

Eggplant Caponata

"It's Wicked Good!"

Order cakes & pies for
any occasion
(2 days notice).



See our butcher for
fresh cut meats, cold
cuts and poultry

Old Fashioned Pride and Service Since 1843



**Biggest & Best
Selection of
Beers and Wines
Around!**

Cavit 1.5L

All Varieties

2/\$20

Ravenswood

All Varieties

2/\$18

Sutter Home

White Zinfandel 1.5L

\$7.99

The Show

Cabernet Sauvignon

\$10.99

Jim Beam

1.75L

\$19.99

Sky Vodka

1.75L

\$20.99

In Store Beer Specials Too!!!

260 Marion Road (Right over the Marion Line)
Wareham • 508-295-0016



The Artisan Kitchen Ph: 508.763.4905

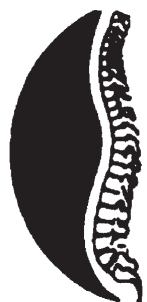
WWW.THEARTISANKITCHEN.COM

- Specializing in Fondant & Sculpted Cakes -
- Children's Character Cakes -
- Tiered Cupcake Displays -

HOURS BY APPT. - 265 Walnut Plain Rd, Rochester, MA

This Bakery is Certified by the Rochester Board of Health

Our Handmade Breads, Pies, Pastries Available At:
Lloyd's Market. Marion General Store. How on Earth



Mattapoissett Chiropractic

Jeffrey G. Swift, D.C., D.A.B.C.N.

- Post Graduate Faculty, University of Bridgeport, Connecticut
- Board Certified Diplomate of the American College of Chiropractic Neurology
- Member North American Spine Society

109 Fairhaven Rd • Suite D, Mattapoissett, MA

508-758-3666

Now associated with Hawthorn Medical
535 Faunce Corner Road, N. Dartmouth
508-985-0007



Mary Beth Mathieu

Realtor®

Cell Phone (508) 965-6151

Office (508) 748-3044 Ext. 65



RESIDENTIAL BROKERAGE

150 Front St., Marion, MA 02738

©2008 Coldwell Banker Real Estate LLC. Coldwell Banker is a registered trademark licensed to Coldwell Banker Real Estate LLC. An Equal Opportunity Employer. Equal Housing Opportunity. Owned and operated by NRT, LLC

for consideration in Rochester is February 18 and the deadline to register to vote in the April 8 election is March 19.

Things in Marion are quiet for the moment as their Annual Town Election won't take place until Friday, May 22. Nomination papers will be available in the Town Clerk's office beginning Monday, February 2 and must be returned with the required signatures by Friday, April 3 at 5:00 pm.

Marion Selectman **Roger F. Blanchette** will be up for re-election to his second three-year term.

Duo Caught

Mattapoissett Police Apprehend Car Thieves

Two suspects were apprehended by Mattapoissett Police Officers after breaking into motor vehicles early Monday morning, January 12.

Ryan R. Stojak, 17, of 65 Shaw Road in Fairhaven and Joshua Rock, 19, of 76 Glennon Street in New Bedford were arrested after a foot pursuit by police. Mattapoissett Police Officers Robert Randall, Lenira Lima and Sergeant Anthony Days responded to a 911 call on North Street. A female caller reported seeing two men breaking into her motor vehicle that was parked in her driveway.

Officer Randall was the first officer to arrive and observed a male inside the car. Both males fled and officers pursued them on foot. They requested a K-9 and were assisted by the Massachusetts State Police. Officer

CREATIVE WELLNESS

thoughtful • creative • problem solving

Anxiety • Depression • ADD/ADHD
Grief/Loss • Trauma • Transition

CONNECT • CONSIDER • CREATE

Elizabeth Owens Davis, LICSW
508-758-4600



Roby's



For All Your Energy Needs
 Over **60** years servicing customers
 Propane Gas, Heating Oil
www.robysgas.com
 Rtes. 58 & 495, W. Wareham
 800-642-7121 508-295-3737

Gas, Wood & Pellet - Stoves, Inserts & Fireplaces
Supplied by

South Coast Hearth & Patio

2235 Cranberry Hwy. W. Wareham, MA
 508-295-6888 or 888-272-6888

Gas, Wood & Pellet Stoves
 Gas, Wood & Pellet Inserts
 Gas Fireplaces
 Gas Logs

Complete service for gas unit
 installation from on site visit to
 final town inspections.

We carry:
 Vermont Casting
 Kozy Heat
 Lexington Forge
 Mendota & Empire
 Vista Flame
 Napoleon
 Breckwell

Open Mon-Fri 9am to 5pm
 Sat 9am to 4pm



NOW CARRYING
PELLET STOVES AND
PELLET INSERTS



**solar-system design
installation
consulting
engineering
permitting
government rebates
wind turbines
wind testing
green-energy experts**

**go solar
you've got the power**

(508) 990 1701
www.beaumontsolarco.com

PERRY FARM PATCHWORKS

The Quilt Shop

Join us in recreating Civil War Blocks the end of January

Hours: Tues.-Sat. 10-5, Wed. Eve. 7-9, Sun. 12-4, Closed Mon..

196 Perry Hill Road, Acushnet 508 995-1555



Randall, State Police Sergeant Cambra and his K-9, along with Sergeant Poitras and Trooper Harris tracked the two suspects through the woods.

Ryan Stojak was apprehended in the woods behind 175 North Street. A short time later, Joshua Rock was found lying behind bushes in the area of Northwoods. Both were arrested and transported to the Mattapoisett Police Department for booking. They are charged with breaking and entering in the nighttime with intent to commit a felony, larceny of \$250, resisting arrest and disturbing the peace.

Recovered at the scene were several credit cards, an iPod, an MP3 player, digital camera and gift cards.

The suspects broke into several vehicles on West Hill, Mattapoisett Neck Road, River Road, Crystal Spring Road, and North Street. Both suspects were held without bail. They were arraigned Monday at Wareham District Court.

In addition to the Massachusetts State Police, Mattapoisett Police were assisted by Rochester Police Sergeant Kierney and Officer Kevin Flynn and Marion Police Officers Kevin Paulson and Chris Smith.

In light of this event, Mattapoisett Police Chief Mary Lyons advised residents to remember to lock their cars, even on their own property.

Join the Kubb

Mattapoisett Land Trust to Stage Kubb Match By Robert Chiarito

The Mattapoisett Land Trust is a group with a mission. In addition to preserving the natural land resources of Mattapoisett, they also have something bigger in mind — they would like the people of Mattapoisett and the tri-town area to take advantage of the properties they have acquired by bringing families and friends together to



Coastal Chiropractic Health



John T. Mello, DC

Dawn E. Mello, DC

Discs
+
Sciatica
+
Auto accidents
+
Pain associated with pregnancy
+
Most insurance accepted

Route 6 in Marion

phone: 508-748-3224

tel: (508) 758-4642
6 Baptist Street
Mattapoisett

**BLUE MOON
DOG GROOMING**

owner - Holly Gifford White

conveniently located in the village
call for an appointment today !!

HILARY *Photography* WOOD



"Award-Winning Photographer"

www.HilaryWoodPhotography.com ~ 508.946.2212

discover the great outdoors.

To that end, they are inviting the public to join them on Sunday afternoon, January 18 at Dunseith Gardens — Salty the Seahorse's home — on the corner of Route 6 and North Street for a game of Kubb.

A game of what, you ask?

Kubb, which is pronounced *koob*, is said to be an old Swedish game whose origins may date back to the time of the Vikings. Historians can trace the game back to the early part of the twentieth century, but from there the history tends to become murky. Played outdoors, the game is a cross between bocce ball and horseshoes but with variations to make the game more challenging. Kubb, as might be expected from a game with Nordic origins, can be played in all types of weather ... including snow. It is believed that an early variation of the game was called *Bunnock* and was played by the Russian Army who made use of horses' leg bones in place of sticks as the soldiers tried to ward off the cold and boredom of the long winter months in Siberia. This practice led to the game being called "the game of the bones."

Koob is also sometimes referred to as Viking Chess with the object of the game being to knock over an opposing team's set of ten wooden blocks by throwing wooden sticks at them, with the ultimate goal being to knock over the king. A set of objectives must first be met before the king is knocked over or a team is immediately disqualified, or loses. There is no time limit on the game

BALANCE YOUR NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION

Make massage therapy part of your New Year's wellness plan. Therapeutic massage relaxes and softens tired, overused muscles and supports your fitness goals.

EQUILIBRIUM
MASSAGE • REIKI • POLARITY

Deb Ferreira, LMT, RM
34 Barstow Street, Mattapoisett

Call **508-493-8855** to schedule your appointment
and receive **\$10.00 off** your first visit



**Peter P. Briggs
Insurance Agency, Inc.**

Home Owners Auto Life Boats Business Insurance

19 County Road, Mattapoisett, MA

508-758-6929

David A. Perkins - Andrew P. Wingate

Winter Blues? All Blue Cheese & Port Wines 10% OFF thru January!

- Artisanal Cheeses
- Cured Meat • Dry Salami • Paté • Olives
- Crackers • Nuts • Antipasto Items
- Single Vineyard Wines & Much More!

* **Gift Certificates Available** *



313 Wareham Road, Rte. 6, Marion, MA

508-500-4884

New Winter Hours: Tues. - Sat. 10-6

MATHIEU & MATHIEU
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law



60 Marion Road, Mattapoisett

ESTATE PLANNING

*

REAL ESTATE

*Mattapoisett Office hours
Tuesdays by chance & by appointment*

MAIN OFFICE
168 Eighth Street, New Bedford
Telephone (508) 996-8283

CUSTOM CEDAR FENCE

BRATTLE™

TRELLIS & LATTICE WORKS

ARBORS
SHEDS
FURNITURE
KENNELS

MARION FENCE

291 WAREHAM ROAD
MARION, MASS 02738

COURT PIEHLER, OWNER PHONE & FAX (508) 748-2482
FREE ESTIMATES

and games can go on for hours at a time.

The rules of the game are simple and designed so it can be played by people of all ages. Kubb can be played as a one-on-one match or by teams of two or three people per side, though there is no limit to how many players a team can have. The game can also be played on all types of surfaces including pavement, grass or even ice and requires a space of only 8 meters in length.

Kubb gained popularity in the 1990s in Sweden and soon after gained an ardent following in the United States, especially in the midwestern states such as Minnesota and Wisconsin. Clubs sprang up throughout the region and an annual tournament is held in Eau Claire, Wisconsin every summer.

The Mattapoisett Land Trust will provide the Kubb sets along with copies of the game's rules for anyone who wishes to participate. There will also be refreshments served and a bonfire to warm players during breaks in the action. The competition will begin at 1:30 pm and will finish before nightfall.

The Mattapoisett Land Trust welcomes all of its members as well as the general public to join them in exploring this ancient game. In the case of poor weather the Mattapoisett Land Trust has scheduled January 25 as a make-up day. For more information you may contact the Mattapoisett Land Trust at info@matlandtrust.org or by calling 508-758-7849.

**Steve's Collision
& Paint Center Inc.**

For the Quality Auto Body
Repairs you have trusted
for the past 30 years.
We are here to service all
your Body & Paint needs.
Working with all
insurance companies.

Motorcycle Painting

92 Pine Street, Rochester, MA
508-763-3306
RS#964

~ I WELD ANYTHING ~

"except a broken heart"



ALL phases of **WELDING**
and **FABRICATION**
COMPLETELY MOBILE

Aluminum - Steel - Stainless

Dennis W. Frezza

508-965-4638 - 800-806-9030

Over 30 years experience - Fully Insured

Colonial Shutterworks

Interior & Exterior Wooden Shutters

*Historic Replications
Storm/Screen Doors*

*4 Church Street Extension
Mattapoisett, MA 02739*

ColonialShutterworks.com

508-758-9513



Structure Fire

Fire Causes Damage to Mattapoisett Garage

On Monday, January 12 at approximately 3:10 am, the Mattapoisett Fire Department was dispatched to a reported shed fire on Aucoot Road in Mattapoisett. While en route to this incident, dispatch advised the responding fire apparatus that the first arriving police officer had reported a working structure fire.

Upon the Fire Department's arrival it was discovered to be a one-and-a-half story, two-bay detached garage that was approximately 20 feet from the dwelling. There was visible fire showing inside the structure with extension out the side door and rear window. The fire was extinguished within 30 minutes but not prior to causing an estimated \$25,000 to \$50,000 in damage. It took three Mattapoisett fire engines and 12 Mattapoisett firefighters to extinguish the blaze.

The Marion Fire Department provided station coverage for Mattapoisett with one fire engine, four firefighters and the Fire Chief. There were no injuries reported at this fire.

Summit Bound

ORR Student to Attend Leadership Summit

By Robert Chiarito

It is said that leaders are born. Learning the skills that come with being a leader may require one to get a little help along the way.

FRONT STREET FINE ARTS

**156 Front Street, Marion, MA
508-981-5893 / 305-968-5162 - fax 508-748-1017**

*Featuring maritime paintings from the
late 19th and early 20th centuries.
Private appointments upon request.*

Roger and Diane Judge

**Email: frontst1@verizon.net
www.frontstreetfinearts.com**

Nick's Homemade Pizza

**Wishing the
community a
Happy New Year!**

**For Fast Service Call
Take Out or Dine In**

**508-758-2277 or
508-758-3337**

**Open 7 Days a Week 11am-10pm,
Sunday until 9pm**

**27 County Road (Route 6)
Mattapoisett**



TileCraft

**Located in Fairhaven Business Center
"Do It Right The First Time"**

**Check us out online
@**

www.tilecraftpro.com

Send us an email on your questions.

**We would like to wish our
clients a Prosperous &
Happy New Year!**

Visit our retail store for all your flooring needs!



**67 Alden Road, Fairhaven, MA •
Mon-Fri 9-6, Tues. 9-3, Sat. 9-1**

508-999-0988 • www.tilecraftpro.com



Over 20 years
servicing
the area

0% Financing through July 2009

Free estimates • Licensed and insured installers.

405 Huttleston Ave., Rt. 6, Fairhaven
The big blue building on the Mattapoissett/Fairhaven Line

508-758-6170



Mon.-Fri. 8-5 pm Sat. 9-1, Evenings by Appointment
www.canalcarpets.com



508-748-9718

Women's & Infants
Designer Clothing

Jrs. - Petite - Plus Sizes - Misses
New Gift Items & Jewelry

My Fair Lady
Consignment Boutique



S
A
L
E

SUPER SALE
20-40% OFF
Winter Merchandise
throughout Store

S
A
L
E

Mother of the Bride
and Groom and
Wedding Attire

Just Arrived
Gucci Handbags

3 Wells Road, Marion

(Behind Cumberland's - Next to Uppercut)
Hours: Wed., Thurs., Fri. 10:30-4, Sat. 10:30-3

Accepting of consignments

Wed., Thurs. & Fri 10:30-12 by appointment only
Mastercard/Visa Discover Accepted

15% OFF Jewelry
20% OFF
Accessories
SALE



Closed Jan. 25-31st

508-207-4126

58 FAIRHAVEN ROAD • MATTAPOISETT, MA 02739

Hours: Mon.-Sat. 6-6, Closed Wednesday, Sun. 8-12,
Closed Holidays - Open day before holidays.

For Old Rochester Regional High School freshman Ryann Monteiro, that help is coming in the form of a summit that she will be attending this coming July at the University of California at Los Angeles. The Summit, coordinated by People to People Ambassador Programs, brings together outstanding student leaders from around the globe to focus on leadership, team-building, community service, college admissions, and professional aspirations.

Based in Washington, DC, the People to People Ambassador Programs were developed for students in Grades 5 through 12 to leadership skills and foster a sense of global community and citizenship by exposing and giving students unique access to leaders from all walks of life and exposing them to new ideas, cultures and locations. The program offers summits, such as the one that Miss Monteiro will attend, at top colleges and universities across the country. The program also offers students the opportunity to travel abroad to destinations such as the South Pacific, Asia and Europe giving them life-changing educational travel opportunities that foster friendship help to build the foundation for personal success. The program's student delegations are built around local communities, helping them develop friendships at a grass roots level before they travel globally.

The People to People program was the brainchild of President Dwight D. Eisenhower, who established the organization in 1956. President Eisenhower had a vi-

Nancy Moore MSW, LICSW
Psychotherapist

P.O. Box 233
Marion, MA
Tel. 508-748-2331
Fax 508-748-3758

64 Industrial Park Road
Plymouth, MA 02360
Tel. 508-830-1630
Fax 508-830-0768

<p>Winterization Special Oil & filter change, coolant flush, tire rotation and new wiper blades.</p> <p>\$109.95 with coupon expires 1/31/09</p>	<p>Now Offering 24 Hour Towing 508-758-9292 • Cell 508-962-0078</p> <p><i>"Keeping my home town running"</i> -Jay Bobola</p> <p>Tune-ups Exhaust Brakes Suspension</p> <p>Jay's Automotive Service Center One Stop Service Center</p> <p>508-758-9292 Route 6 - 89 County Road, Mattapoisett Walk-ins Welcome Hours: Monday-Friday 8-5, Saturday 8-2</p>	<p>4x4 Service Special Front & rear differential fluid, transfer case fluid.</p> <p>\$169.95 with coupon expires 1/31/09</p> <p><i>*Specializing in Custom Exhaust*</i> Oil Changes Coolant/Transmission Flush</p>
--	--	--

sion of helping to bring the world closer by fostering a sense of global citizenship. He also believed that each person could make a difference and help to achieve peace through understanding one's neighbors and other cultures. Most of the adult leaders and chaperones are teachers or former teachers as well as counselors, pediatric nurses and doctors who are required to interact with their student groups for a period of nine to twelve months before they travel together. Teachers must be state-certified and have at least one year of classroom experience.

Miss Monteiro was nominated and accepted for the honor of attending the summit based on her outstanding scholastic achievements, her civic involvement and for her demonstrated leadership potential.

If you would like more information about the People to People program, you can contact Wendy McPhee, Miss Ryann's guidance counselor, at 508-758-3745 during regular school hours, or you can go to the organization's website at www.peopletopeople.com.

School Report
MLK, AFS and JFK at ORR
By Olivia Mello

Every year, on the third Monday of January, students celebrate their day off from school — however, it is not often enough that we stop to recognize what the holiday signifies. Martin Luther King, Jr. brought across the realization that anyone, with enough courage and

Brandon Woods Home Care

Your Guide To Senior Care . . .

Resource, Education & Support

508.999.0878

- Supportive Personal Care
- Medication Reminders
- Companionship
- Shopping/Errands
- Handyman Services
- Chronic Disease Education
- Pet & Plant Care
- Household Management
- Meal Preparation
- Light Housekeeping
- Transportation Services
- Exercise
- Home Tele-Monitoring System
- and much, much more!

Family Owned & Operated

CALL US TODAY for more information:
Tel 508.999.0878/www.elderservices.com
567 Dartmouth St. • So. Dartmouth, MA



GRAND OPENING

DELI • SOUPS • SALADS & MORE

50 Marion Road, Mattapoisett
508-758-9922 • 508-758-9923

NOW OPEN

Monday-Saturday 10-5
(Formerly George's)

Sandwiches • Soups

Salads • Prepared Meals

Party-Platters • Buffet Catering

Swan Hill Spa & Salon

Hair

Nails

Facials

Massage

508-291-2288
330 Main Street,
Wareham
www.swanhillspa.com



**PROFESSIONAL
TREE SERVICE**

A Division of
**Professional
Landscape Construction**

- Aerial Bucket Truck
- Tree Climber •Land Clearing
- Backyard Expansion
- Cabling •Pruning

Call The Professionals
Lawrence L. Gonet, Owner

**RESIDENTIAL &
COMMERCIAL**

508-763-4143 • Cell: 508-889-8338




determination, has the potential to make a difference. For him, the possibility of a world without prejudice began with one simple dream. This month, Mrs. Dall's journalism class created a project to honor the man behind the vision.

In the lobby outside of the main office a large black board was set up alongside a table stashed with foam paper and markers. Students from all grades of the high school were invited to write down a desire of their own. While some expressed personal wishes, including "I dream of getting into college," others were more widespread with examples such as, "I dream of world peace." By the end of the first day the board was full of uplifting aspirations and hopes.

January will see this year's first book club meeting. Mrs. Ribeiro has sent out invitations to any student who showed interest in getting involved. Of course, the club is always open to new members. The group will meet on Wednesday, January 28 at 6:30 pm inside the school library. The first book up for discussion will be *Water for Elephants* by Sara Gruen. This particular book was chosen because of its popularity among readers in the high school. A good majority of members in the club will be able to get the book completed within the short time given. Students are asked to come with the book, a favorite passage, as well as any other topics they would like to discuss. The book club will continue meeting once a month on Wednesday nights.

Add More "Living" Space

**INNOVATION
CONST.CO.**
DESIGN & BUILD

SINCE 1980
W WAREHAM #108866




- FINISHED BASEMENTS
- SUN ROOMS • REPL. WINDOWS
- DOORS • ADDITIONS • BATHS
- KITCHENS • WOOD WAINSCOT
- CROWN MOLDING
- CEDAR CLOSETS
- 12 months-NO Payments

keithisremodeling.com

"100% Financing Available" 508-291-4907

Some Restrictions Apply



Hair Unlimited

508-758-2200

45 Pearl St. Mattapoisett

- Waxing • Custom Facials • Color • Perm
- Cut • Style • Pedicures & More!

Old Rochester Regional High School's American Field Service (AFS) team has recently welcomed a new foreign exchange student into their program. His name is Carlos Reyes from Columbia. He is now an active junior in the high school and is staying with a family in the tri-town. The AFS team has also begun checking out the different cultural food that the United States has to offer. On Tuesday, the group visited a Portuguese restaurant in Acushnet. On January 24 and 25, they will be hosting a phone-a-thon to raise money for their upcoming plans.

Old Rochester Regional Junior High School has an AFS teacher visiting from Thailand. Mr. Kasem Yangning (Arboo) has come to share his Thai culture, Thai traditional life and Thai language with the children and adults of the surrounding areas. He is also hoping to learn more about American culture, to improve his English and ultimately to cultivate a good relationship between the United States and Thailand.

Mr. Carroll, a history teacher at ORR, is inviting his economics classes to a field trip that will be held during the first week of February. The first 40 to 45 individuals who pass their permission slips in directly to Mr. Carroll will be taken to the JFK museum to participate in a budget simulation exercise. The field trip will be free-of-charge and will take place during a regular school day.

Sports Shorts

By Robert Chiarito

The **Old Rochester Regional High School Winter Girls Track Team** has made a habit of being at or near the top of the standings in the South Coast Conference over the past several years. This year, it would seem, is going to be more of the same as the **Lady Bulldogs** are off to a 4-0 start after winning 47.5 to 38.5 at Dighton-Rehoboth High School on Wednesday, January 7. **Kat Vicino** and

WINGS N' THINGS

Choose from over 75 Birdfeeders

heated birdbaths • de-icers

bird seed • suet



CLEARANCE

Selected Merchandise

Route 6, Mattapoisett • 508-758-9669

www.wanderer.com

From Concept to Fruition, Design Build is our Specialty



BUZZARDS BAY CONSTRUCTION

www.BuzzardsBayConstruction.com

Design, Build, Renovate Additions and New Homes Kitchens and Baths

Scott Parker 508-989-1789

Eddie Dillon 508-496-4288

'Protect, Present & Preserve'

At Rogers Gallery our staff works with each customer to create the ideal framing solution for their valued artwork.

Our Museum Quality standards in materials and framing techniques has earned our reputation for choice and excellence for over 30 years.



★ **ROGERS GALLERY** ★
RIVER ★ SHOPS

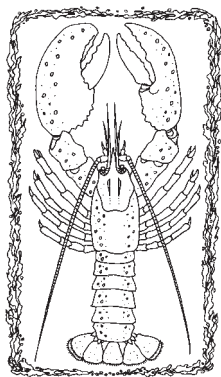
Route 6 Mattapoisett
508 758-3641 OPEN Mon.-Sat. 9:30-5:00



JAKE'S DINER

508-990-7786

104 Alden Road
Fairhaven, Massachusetts



Check Out Our
**LOBSTER
SPECIALS**
Thursday &
Friday Nights
'til 8pm

MEDAESTHETIC SALON & DAY SPA

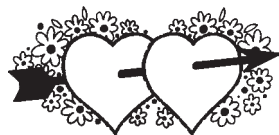
1402 TUCKER ROAD
DARTMOUTH, MA 02747

(508) 991-2999

THE AREAS ONLY FULL SERVICE MEDSPA & SALON



Valentine's Day
is Coming...



Book your Couple's
Massage Now!

GIFT CARDS • JEWELRY • SCARVES

Visit www.medaestheticpartnership.com for a full menu of services

SANDRA M. DAWSON, Broker/Owner
Listing & Selling Quality Homes!



Dawson Real Estate

508-758-3838
www.DawsonRE.com



Therese Morss were each double winners for the Lady Bulldogs with Vicino placing first in the 50 and 300 races while Morss won the 50 hurdles and also ran a leg for the winning 4 x 400 relay team. In the boys half of the meet, Dighton-Rehoboth downed the **Old Rochester Boys Winter Track Team**, 53-33. The loss was the first of the season for ORR who saw **Dana Dourdeville** qualify for the state meet in the 1,000 with a time of 2:43. Dourdeville also was a winner in the mile race. ORR is now 3-1 on the season.

The **Old Rochester Regional High School Boys Basketball Team** seems to be finding themselves of late. After winning their first game of the season the Bulldogs lost their next four contests. This past week Old Rochester began a new streak, this one for the positive, as they won both of their scheduled games. On Tuesday, January 6 the Bulldogs downed the Apponequet High Lakers at home, 62-58, as **Tristan Miller** scored 18 points to lead all scorers. Miller led Old Rochester to victory again as they met Martha's Vineyard Regional High School, 76-71, on the Bulldogs' home court. Once again Miller topped the Old Rochester scoring tally with 15 points. With their two wins Old Rochester moves to 3-4 on the season with a 2-4 mark in the South Coast Conference.

Raymond Lawton and **Brennan Goguen** led the **Old Rochester/Fairhaven Hockey Team** to a 9-0 win over the Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical High School Bears on the Bears' home ice on Wednesday, January 7. Lawton netted three goals and assisted on another while Goguen scored two goals and assisted on three others as the Bulldogs ran their record 5-3-1 for the 2008-2009 season. Goaltender **Tim Kelleher** was the winner in goal as he stopped all of the 14 shots that he faced for the shutout.

The **Old Rochester Lady Bulldogs Basketball Team** ran their record to 4-2 as they defeated Apponequet High in Lakeville 49-34. **Michelle Franklin** was the game's leading scorer with 20 points with **Sarah Coucci** adding 13 points.

Both the **Old Colony Regional Voke Tech's Boys and Girls Basketball Teams** are now 6-2 overall on the season as they each split their games over the past week. The **Old Colony Boys Basketball Team** rallied from a

Gerald Lemay of **LemayMusic LLC** is Announcing the 2009 Class Schedule
January: Group Piano Lessons: "More of the Best Songs Ever"

For more information and to register, please contact us at:
www.lemaymusic.com or lemaymusic@verizon.net or 508.207.3242

Christmas Gift Certificates Available for January 2009

"Only two times to take a piano lesson: then and now.
Who is the first person you will play for when you learn how to play?"



Booking Winter Interiors
R.J. ZIINO PAINTING
Professional Service at Competitive Pricing
 Fully Insured - Rochester, MA
 Cell 508-930-3656 • Ph 508-763-9850
 Residential/Commercial - Interior/Exterior

ten-point deficit with about two minutes remaining in the game to win by ten points, 71-61, at home over Bristol Plymouth Regional Voke Tech on Friday, January 9. **John Regis** led the Old Colony scoring attack with 24 points. The Cougars lost earlier in the week, as they were beaten 69-57 at West Bridgewater High School on Wednesday, January 7.

The Old Colony Lady Cougar Basketball Team also lost their first game of this past week snapping a five-game winning streak as they were beaten 57-33 at home by Greater New Bedford Voke Tech on Wednesday, January 7. Old Colony bounced back with a 57-28 road win Bristol Plymouth Regional Vocational Technical High School. **Becca Mello** led the Cougars with 22 points in the win.

*On a personal note ... it never gets old to say this, but it's great to be a **Florida Gator!** It must be even better to be **Tim Tebow!***

Rochester Youth Baseball

Rochester Youth Baseball (RYB) has announced that sign-ups for the 2009 Baseball season will be held on **Wednesday, January 28** at the **Rochester Memorial School**. Sign-ups will be held in the Cafeteria between the hours of **6:00 pm to 8:30 pm**.

The invitation to play baseball is open to any town resident between the ages of 5 and 12 years old. RYB provides youngsters an opportunity to learn to play the game of baseball while having fun doing so. They offer a wide range in play from Tee Ball, Farm, up to Minor and Major Little League divisions.

Applications are provided at sign-up and copies of birth certificates are required. Many positions will be available and new players are encouraged to sign-up. Last year's players are reminded of the need to make this sign-up date.

Couples Therapy

Lewis I. Prouty
 MEd, MSW, LICSW

74 County Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739
 (508) 758-2464



Animal Advice

Jay Gould, DVM

HOLIDAY DANGERS

What are the most serious holiday dangers to my pet?

The most common problem associated with pets and the Christmas season is the ingestion of tinsel by cats. The tinsel may become lodged in the intestine. The most common symptom is frequent vomiting over a short period of time. *I have heard poinsettias are poisonous. How dangerous are they?* When eaten, poinsettias cause irritation to the tongue and other tissues of the mouth and possibly the stomach. Thus they cause discomfort but probably not severe illness.

How dangerous is chocolate for pets?

Chocolate is a dose related poison as is coffee. A small amount of chocolate is not dangerous, however, when a 10 pound poodle eats a pound of bakers chocolate, the dogs life may be jeopardized. Early signs of chocolate poisoning are shaking and hyperactivity.

The staff of the Mattapoisett Animal Hospital wish you and your family health and happiness in the holiday season and throughout the coming year.

You can contact Dr. Gould at 508-758-6400 or visit our website at MattapoisettAH.com



**Winter
 has Arrived,
 So Make Sure
 to Bring
 All Your Apparel
 HERE!**

***Mayhew's Valet
 Cleaners***

"A Full Service Dry Cleaning Co."

3 convenient locations to serve you.

32 County Road, Mattapoisett 758-4272	4 Corners Marion 748-2353	2076 Acushnet Ave. New Bedford 995-4413
---	---------------------------------	---

Season's Greetings

See our large selection
of wines in the 3/\$10
and 3/\$12 Range!

Dewars 1.75 **\$32.99**

Absolut Vodka 1.75 **\$29.99**

Mr. Boston Brandy All Flavors 1.75 **\$15.99**

Crane Lake Wines 750ml 2 for **\$10**

Busch & Busch Lt. 20 pk. bottles **\$10.99**

Glen Ellen All Flavors **\$9.99**

Jim Beam 1.75 **\$21.99**

Beefeater Gin 1.75 **\$29.99**

PREMIUM LIQUORS

& FULL REDEMPTION CENTER

1926 Purchase St. New Bedford 508-999-4724	355 Huttleston Ave. (formerly Shaw's Cove) Rte. 6, Fairhaven, MA 508-990-8724
--	--

MIKE'S APPLIANCE

Sales and Service • Experienced with all brands.

Also available evenings, weekends and holidays

Mike Healy 508-748-2557

For more information, please call **Hal Rood** at 508-496-6096.

Mattapoisett Recreation

Irish Step Dance will take place on Mondays from 4:30 to 6:00 pm in the Center School Gymnasium during the school year. The class is open enrollment. Please sign up the first time you attend.

The second session for **Tammy's Tumbler's Afterschool Gymnastics Program** is fast approaching. For more information, please contact Tammy McKane at 508-996-3399.

For more information about any Mattapoisett Recreation program, please contact **Gretchen MacDonald** at ddgmac@aol.com or 508-758-4100.

Marion Public Skating

Marion Recreation Family Time Ice Skating will be held for the 2008-2009 season at the **Tabor Academy Ice Rink** from 12:00 noon to 2:00 pm on the following days:

Sunday, January 18; Sunday, January 25; Sunday, February 1; Sunday, February 8; Sunday, February 15; Thursday, February 19; Sunday, February 22; and Sunday, March 1.

The cost is \$3 per person. Skate at your own risk! The schedule is subject to change. Hats, gloves and skates are always required for anyone who is on the ice. Helmets are also required for inexperienced skaters and children under six.

Please cooperate with the skate guards. Failure to comply with their requests will result in being asked to leave the rink.

Please send ideas, comments and suggestions to: Sports, c/o The Wanderer, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739, e-mail releases to news@wanderer.com, or fax, 24-hours-a-day, to 508-758-4845.



Check out
our latest
sock yarn
arrivals

42 Main Street, Fairhaven, MA 02719
Tel: 508-996-KNIT (5648) • Fax: 508-996-5646
Knit Night Wed. 6-9:00pm • www.evasyarnshop.com
Tues., Thurs., Fri. 10-5, Wed. 10-9, Sat. 10-4

Happy Holidays!

New Year's Special



\$5.00 OFF

Oil Change

Expires 1/31/09.

**Transmission
Flush**

\$10.00 OFF

Reg. \$110.95

Now \$100.95

Using RT1
Transmission
Flush Machine

Expires 1/31/09.
May not be combined
with any other offer.

**SAVE \$\$
ON FUEL**

FUEL

INJECTION

SERVICE

\$59.95

Reg. \$69.95

Expires 1/31/09.
May not be combined
with any other offer.

**ALL-PRO
"Wild Card"**

\$20.00 OFF

Any Service \$200 or More

\$30.00 OFF

Any Service \$300 or More

\$40.00 OFF

Any Service \$400 or More

Expires 1/31/09. With Coupon Only.
May not be combined
with any other offer.

WINTERIZATION SPECIAL

- Coolant Flush
- Oil Change
- Tire Rotation
- ✓ Tires
- ✓ Brakes

\$109.95

Expires 1/31/09.
May not be combined
with any other offer.

ALL-PRO Oil Change & Car Wash

**All Oil Changes Include
17 pt. Safety Inspection & Vacuuming**

**All
RAIN X
Wipers**

\$29.95

All Sizes

Expires 1/31/09.
May not be combined
with any other offer.

**Now Open
Sundays
9am-2pm**

Full Repairs and Brakes - Full Time Mechanic Available

**110 Alden Rd.
FAIRHAVEN, MA.**

(Next to Jakes Diner)

508-992-3033





Everything you need, all in one place.

1 johnny cake hill • new bedford, ma • 508.990.VETU • www.vetugifts.com
Tue-Fri 10-6 • Sat 11-5

CALL NOW FOR SNOWPLOWING

Arne Excavating

arneexcavating@comcast.net

508-748-2060

All Calls Returned

*Septic Systems *Sewer Connections *Trucking

*Driveways *Foundations *Demolitions

*Stump Removal *Land Clearing *SnowPlowing

ENVIRO-SEPTIC® CERTIFIED

Sand Mulch Fill Crushed Stone Screened Loam

P.O. Box 1045

Marion, MA 02738

Free Estimates

Licensed and Insured



BUZZARDS BAY LANDSCAPING



508-748-0577

Yard Cleanups • Winter Pruning
Patios & Walkways
Landscape Design



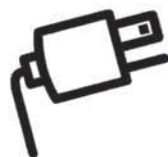
FULLY INSURED - ROBERT S. REICHERT, OWNER

News Submission Policy

The Wanderer gladly accepts any and all news and press release items from local non-profit organizations for publication on a weekly basis. The deadline for submission of said items is Monday at 12:00 noon for publication in that week's edition. Due to the increasing number of submissions, however, publication of press material is never guaranteed. *The Wanderer* will make every effort to publish timely news items and announcements as the subject warrants and as often as spacing allows. All press material must be submitted in writing via fax (508-758-4845), e-mail (news@wanderer.com) or mail (The Wanderer, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739), and must be typed or word-processed. We cannot accept any handwritten material or news items via telephone, no matter how brief.

Photographs of area events and news makers are also accepted and encouraged. *The Wanderer* accepts well-lit and clearly-defined color or black and white photographs for publication provided they include a brief summary of the event or subject. Due to processing and/or cropping requirements, we cannot return photographs. Please make sure you retain your negatives or have a copy made before submitting photographs for publication. Like news items, the deadline for photos is Monday at 12:00 noon and the publication of photographs is also subject to spacing constraints and therefore cannot be guaranteed.

All submitted copy is subject to alterations and/or condensation as space allows at the editor's discretion. All submissions become the property of *The Wanderer* and cannot be returned, therefore please make sure to retain copies and/or negatives before submitting anything for consideration.



DANIEL L. HINDS

Master Electrician

LICENSED/INSURED/EXPERIENCED

PHONE: 774-263-7698

FAX: 508-763-3716

EMAIL: dkhinds@comcast.net



Certified Technicians!

Water Access



840 Point Rd
Marion, MA 02738
Phone: 508-748-2800
Fax: 508-748-2100
www.ajboatcorp.com



Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

A message from the heart to the people of Mattapoisett:

Being a Mattapoisett native, thus living in an ancestral home dating back to the 1741 era, the Revolutionary War, the *Mayflower* and beyond ...

Due to recent tax bills in Mattapoisett and the very possible inability for its citizens to meet their real estate and land tax requirements, thus creating a very serious situation, Mattapoisett could very likely be faced with Tax Title Foreclosures or the loss of our open space to the "Mighty Building Developer." The Mighty Building Developer could buy land for right-of-ways (roads) to these developments.

Wherever you go, whatever you read, the cry is "save open space" and land trusts are constantly trying to increase their acreage for preservation of our town.

The "open space" in Mattapoisett belongs to someone — somebody or their family in Mattapoisett has paid hard-earned money in taxes over long years to the Town of Mattapoisett; while someone (nice person) gives or donates land to the people of the town as a gift, park or open space for all town citizens to enjoy forever.

Yet, somehow it ends up on an auction block to be swapped or traded away ... thus, the Tinkham Forest.

Over-valuation has nothing but a negative impact on small farmers, owners of back lands, wetlands, as well as open space that has been held within families since "day one," even before Mattapoisett was incorporated as a town in 1857.

The older and middle class citizens of Mattapoisett deserve a little honor as well as respect for bringing Mattapoisett through the Great Depression of '29. Don't forget, sometimes the

Panino's

January Special

Monday through Friday

Buy any one breakfast, get the second 1/2 price
(discount on equal or lesser value meal)

Try our dinners to go!!

Homemade, Healthy & Affordable

508-758-2700 • At the Ropewalk, Route 6, Mattapoisett
www.ropewalkmall.com

www.wanderer.com

G.H. DUNN

INSURANCE AGENCY

ESTABLISHED 1927



Mattapoisett

55 County Road • 508.758.3731

Buzzards Bay

260 Main Street • 508.759.3132

Wareham

191 Main Street • 508.295.0005

David W. Dunn, President
Michael P. Lamoureux, Vice President

Visit www.ghdunninsurance.com for information about:

HOME • AUTO • BUSINESS • LIFE • BOAT

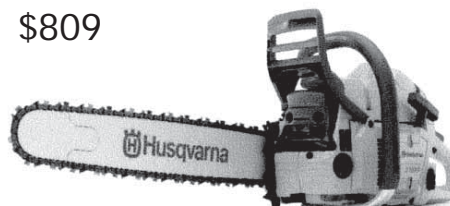


Husqvarna

MASTER YOUR GREAT OUTDOORS™

with Husqvarna

\$809



372XP Chain Saw

- Smart Start® one-touch choke/stop control for easy starting
- LowVib® anti-vibration system minimizes fatigue
- Air Injection™ removes up to 97% of debris before it enters the filter
- 71 cc, 5.4 hp, 13.4 lbs without bar & chain, 18" bar

Country Hardware Inc.

632 Main Street, Acushnet, MA

508-995-4272

Closed Tuesday Only



January 15, 2009

The Wanderer

21

TOWING AVAILABLE

**O'Gara's
Auto Service, Inc.
*Foreign and Domestic
Repairs***

Volvo & Saab
Lube, oil and filter service
reset service light
Saturdays walk-ins welcome

Hours: Mon.-Sat. 8-5

(508) 748-1951
828 Point Road, Marion



BABBITT WOODWORKS

**QUALITY HAND CRAFTED FURNITURE
KITCHEN AND CUSTOM CABINETRY**

40 Marion Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739
508-758-4599

road to hell is paved with good intentions.

Common sense should outweigh and override any "tax title foreclosure" of over-valued open space that developers will gobble up and develop in a heartbeat.

The following is my own view and opinion. Being blessed with common sense as well as the ability to read between the lines, I would like to share the following with you:

Nowhere in the world does "life and death" border so closely together as in the "over-valuation" of open space and back lands in the small country town of Mattapoisett. Thus, using common sense could regulate the tax on open space and back lands that is so special and needs to be saved in Mattapoisett. If you have the ability to read between the lines you can see that "lower valuation" of open space is the best way to "save open space" for the present time. Later down "the road of time," if any open space is developed, a retroactive tax or charge could be implemented into any sale of such land.

Thus, this type of action would discourage or prevent any forced "sale of open space" acreage, including possible tax-title action.

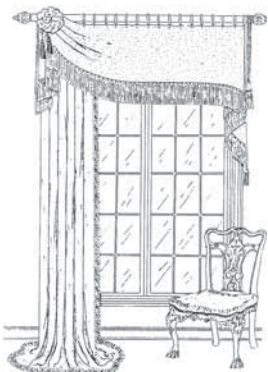
When open space is lost to development, the need for more schools, police, firefighters, and water/sewerage will increase beyond control.

Sincerely,
George "Porgie" Randall
Mattapoisett

To the Editor:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you and your publication for your support in promoting our recent Cabaret Event (A Motown Christmas Cabaret with the Tavares

**CUSTOM WINDOW
TREATMENTS**
to fit your style



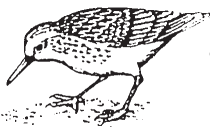
- Draperies & Sheers
- Roman Shades, Balloons
- Cornices
- Designer Valances
- Duvet Covers, Dust Ruffles
- Bedspreads, Comforters
- Pillows, Table Rounds

HUNTER DOUGLAS
Blinds, Shutters, Shades and more....

SANDPIPER INTERIORS

40 Brandt Beach Avenue,
Mattapoisett, MA

758-4847 Call for Appointment
Monday-Friday 9 to 4, Saturday 9 to 12



*She's the one,
and you can trust
Pegasus*
*to help with that
special gift to
start your lives together.*

Pegasus Artisans
65 William St. New Bedford Ma
508-999-6265 02740
pegasusart@verizon.net www.pegasusartisans.com

Sisters

Hair & Skin Care, Inc.

Express Yourself in '09

We understand that many of our clients lead active lives and have tight schedules. For these clients, we are now offering Express Services which produce exceptional results with a minimal investment in time and money.

All services \$35.00 and under.

Pronto Peel	Professional treatment to smooth rough texture, minimize surface lines, fade brown spots & assist in clearing up blemished skin. \$30 ^{.00}
On the Go Facial	Cleanser, enzyme mask to exfoliate, calming mask & moisturizer. \$30 ^{.00}
Ampoules Facial	Cleanser, ampoules (choose from hydrating, firming, or sensitive) & moisturizer. \$30 ^{.00}
Mini Pedicures	Mini-massage with either a masque or paraffin treatment. \$30 ^{.00}
Manicures	Manicure with either an exfoliating scrub or paraffin treatment. \$18 ^{.00}
Chair Massage	\$1 a minute (\$10/minimum, \$20 maximum)
1/2 Massage	\$35 ^{.00}

Salon Hours: Tues. & Wed. 9-8, Thurs. 8-8, Fri. 8-5, Sat. 8-3
67 County Road, Mattapoisett • 508-758-3722

*Featuring the
Hunter Douglas
Alustra™ Collection*

Custom Window Products, Inc.

The Professionals in Interior
Window Treatments
Providing "Stress Free and Painless"
Window Fashions Since 1983

508-758-3122

**Call to Visit our Showroom
or Schedule an In Home Consultation**

www.CustomWindowProducts.com

Custom Draperies & Accessories • Silhouette®
Duette® • Shades & Blinds • Remote Control
Shutters • Skylight & Sunroom Shading
Design Consultation - Repairs



HunterDouglas



Ginny Rivenburg
Certified Design
Consultant

Dave Rivenburg
Certified Professional
Installer

Countryside Child Care Center

Offering Infant, Toddler
& Preschool Programs
Monday thru Friday 6:30am - 5:30pm

Located in the Plumb Corner Mall
565 Rounseville Road, Rochester, MA 02770

Contact Bonnie at: **508-763-8007**
Bonnie@countrysidechildcare.net
www.plumbcorner.com

License# 8119764

Brothers and Key Note Singers). As always, for a small town paper you provide a wonderful publication, with great interesting stories as well as valuable information about our community. On behalf of myself and Voices in Time, I would like to thank you for your well-written story you published in a recent edition of *The Wanderer*.

Most importantly, because of supportive organizations like yours who helped spread the word, we had an incredibly successful event, with a sold-out show on January 4, 2009. We also appreciate your immediate response to re-print an article about our alternate show date after we were forced to re-schedule the event due to a snow storm.

Our show featuring all Motown hits was seen by more than 350 community members and featured the Tavares Brothers (Ralph and Tiny Tavares) as they graced the stage with their voices joining the kids of Voices in Time for some memorable songs including "Ain't No Mountain High Enough," "That's What Friends Are For" and a few of their own original hits. The Key Note Singers of the Dartmouth Council on Aging added to our intergenerational concert with their musical talents as they, too, joined the kids for a few musical ensembles.

I must apologize to the many community members that called for tickets but were unable to attend because we couldn't accommodate the seating. Ralph and Tiny Tavares certainly continue to have quite the following; I even received a phone call from an individual from the Virgin Islands who read the article online and wished to purchase a DVD of the show as well as a Motown Musician from California who wanted to speak with me about the event after they read the article online as well.

What an incredible opportunity for my young performers who were able to share the stage with a national act. As I told

TAX-FREE INCOME IS THE BEST GIFT YOU CAN GIVE YOURSELF AT RETIREMENT.

With an Edward Jones Roth IRA, any earnings are tax-free, and distributions can be taken free of penalties or taxes.* You may even benefit from converting a traditional IRA to a Roth IRA.

* Distributions of earnings from a Roth IRA could be subject to taxes and a 10% penalty if the account is less than five years old and the owner is under age 59 1/2.

At Edward Jones, we spend time getting to know your goals so we can help you reach them. To learn more about why an Edward Jones Roth IRA can make sense for you, call or visit your local financial advisor today.



Ron Ellis
Financial Advisor
53 County Road
PO Box 1677
Mattapoisett, MA 02739
508-758-3311

www.edwardjones.com Member SIPC

Edward Jones
MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING

Michael Muldoon ELECTRICIAN

Tel. & Fax (508) 758-2390

MA Lic # E51262
Mattapoisett, MA

residential - commercial - industrial
fully insured



The Hair & Body SOLUTION

A Full Service Contemporary Salon
Specializing in Making People Look and Feel Their Best





"Rochester's Best Kept Secret"

Plumb Corner Plaza, Rochester • 508-763-9331

my students, The Tavares Brothers are like the Backstreet Boys of today. It is with sincere gratitude that I thank the Key Note Singers for joining us for this musical experience. On behalf of Voices in Time, I would like to extend my appreciation to the Tavares Brothers for taking the time to inspire my students to follow their musical dreams.

Finally, thank you Ken Souza and *The Wanderer* for supporting the efforts of Voices in Time and continuing to provide a venue for charitable and community events.

Sincerely,

Sharon Jensen, Program Director

Voices in Time, Rochester

To the Editor:

The Mattapoissett Land Trust is pleased to announce that it has entered into an agreement to purchase 40 acres of woodland in eastern Mattapoissett from Charles B. and Edna S. Dunn of Mattapoissett. The Dunn Property lies south of Grace Pond which we acquired in 2006 and dedicated last year. The addition of the Dunn Property will give the public access to a contiguous nature preserve of 215 acres between Marion Road (Route 6), Aucoot Road, and Angelica Avenue.

The MLT had previously begun working with Mattapoissett Boy Scout Troop 53 in extending the existing Hiller Trail from the Martocci Preserve to Grace Pond at the southern end of Bowman Road. We hope to continue expanding the trail system in the future so that visitors can hike north to Aucoot Road and south, following Old Slough Road, to Pine Island Pond.

Fundraising activities will continue during the winter and spring as we prepare for the acquisition on June 30. We hope that friends of the Mattapoissett Land Trust as well as the general



H.I.S. CONSTRUCTION

- Designs to Details
- Painting, Masonry, Carpentry
- Quality, Experience
- Residential/Commercial
- Licensed/Insured
- Free, friendly estimates

Bruce Maksy
508-763-3629



VILLAGE CARPET & TILE

"The Finest Showroom this Side of the Canal"

KEEPIN' IT GREEN!

Dealing with Recycled Products

Cork • Bamboo • Carpet • Glass • Mosaics

Start the New Year Off with a Nice Warm FUZZY Rug!

12 years design and layout experience.

FREE "IN HOME" CONSULTATIONS

owner/operator Jason Waskiewicz

- Carpet • Tile • Hardwood • Laminate
- Vinyl • Bamboo • Glass Tile • Exotic Stone

508-758-2249

Corner of Rte 6 & Main St. Mattapoissett

Eliminate High Heating Bills!



E-CLASSIC®
Outdoor Wood Furnace

BUY NOW AND SAVE UP TO \$2000

on the purchase of a Central Boiler E-Classic and ThermoPEX

- Over 85% Efficient
- EPA Phase 2 qualified

BurninWood.com
1058 State Road
Westport
508-672-5757

For a limited time, up to \$2000 savings on the purchase of an E-Classic 2300 and ThermoPEX. See dealer for details.

Burn American Wood Not Foreign Oil

CentralBoiler.com





January Jump Start

- *A Crackling Fire*
- *Winter Garden Views*
- *New Lunch Favorites*
- *Discover our exceptional gift shop*

**Get yourself going at the
Ansel S. Gurney House**

"Winter Sale Continues"
Remember we will be closed
January 26th thru March 5th

ANSEL S. GURNEY HOUSE

A family owned business for over 30 years.

403 County Road, Marion • 508 748-1111
Open Tues.-Sat. 10-5, Sun. 11:30-5,
Lunch 11:30-2:30
www.anselgurney.com



*Best Wishes for a Happy &
Healthy New Year!*

Sowle the Florist inc.

508-758-6161 • 1-800-258-7866 www.sowletheflorist.com

public will generously support this effort to create an exciting, and accessible, nature preserve in eastern Mattapoisett.

Thank you for your help in spreading the word about our land preservation work!

Sincerely,

**Gary P. Johnson, President
Mattapoisett Land Trust**

The views expressed in the "Letters to the Editor" column are not necessarily those of The Wanderer, its staff or advertisers. The Wanderer will gladly accept any and all correspondence relating to timely and pertinent issues in the greater Marion, Mattapoisett, and Rochester area provided they include the author's name, address, and phone number for verification. We cannot publish anonymous, unsigned or unconfirmed submissions. The Wanderer reserves the right to edit, condense, and otherwise alter submissions for purposes of clarity and/or spacing considerations. The Wanderer also reserves the right to deny publication of any submitted correspondence.

Community Giving Guide

The Wanderer is pleased to announce its first-ever Community Giving Guide, to be published in an upcoming edition. If your nonprofit organization needs an angel this winter, submit your wish list to us. Please include your organization's name, purpose, address, telephone number, contact person, e-mail address and website. Then list the items you need, such as old computers, desk chairs, canned food, volunteer help, financial contributions, and the like. Please limit your list to a few priority donations. Once we've received a few of these wish lists, *The Wanderer* will publish them in a guide to community giving in an upcoming issue. Please e-mail your information to office@wanderer.com, or mail it to: The Wanderer Community Giving Guide, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739.

Mattapoisett Water Grant

Affordable Kitchens & Baths

Distinctive
c.a.b.i.n.e.t.r.y

Sharon L. Russo

416 Huttleston Avenue 1, Fairhaven, MA 02719
Telephone: (508) 999-9800 • Fax: (508) 999-3014

Tues.-Fri. 10-4, Sat. 10-2, Closed Sun. & Mon.

MHT *Excavating*

Give Us A Call, We'll Do It All

Site Work ♦ Property Expansion ♦ Tree & Stump Removal

Title V Septic Systems ♦ Sewer & Water Tie-Ins

Drainage Systems ♦ Electrical Trenching

Driveways & Access Roads ♦ Demolition Services ♦ Foundation Excavation

Trucking & Bobcat Service

Loam ♦ Sand ♦ Gravel ♦ Stone ♦ Fill

Michael Saunders, Owner

774-263-2943

Licensed ♦ Bonded ♦ Insured

Mattapoisett, MA



Packing up for that winter vacation?

Consider shipping your luggage and sporting equipment to your vacation destination.



Mail Box Services™

82 County Rd (Rte 6) Mattapoisett
508 758 9700
M-F 7:30-6pm Sat 9-5pm



OUTSIDE STORAGE

Local to the area

Motorhomes - Campers - Trailers, Etc. \$12/wk.

Call between 8-4 daily 774-451-6144

State Representative William Straus (D-Mattapoisett) announced recently that the Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs has awarded a Drinking Water Supply Protection grant award in the amount of \$232,312 to the Mattapoisett River Valley Water Supply Protection Advisory Committee.

"Receiving this grant assists in the purchase of the 29-acre property known as the Rounseville Land Acquisition," Representative Straus said.

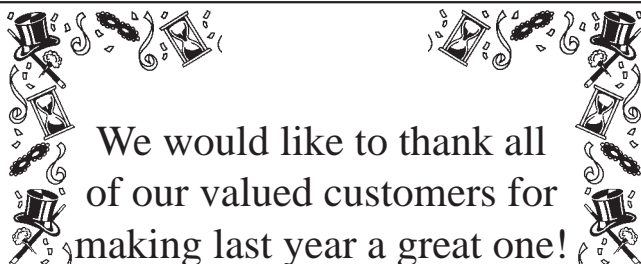
The Mattapoisett River Valley Water District includes water supply sources operated by the towns of Mattapoisett, Marion, Fairhaven and Rochester. The Water Supply Protection Committee was initially formed in 2003 by the four towns to study the water quality and treatment options, supply capacity, future needs and emergency backup.

Representative Straus added: "By being proactive in managing our water supplies, we are ensuring that they will be sustainable in the future."

Tri-Town Business Association

The Tri-Town Business Association will be hosting an After-Hours Open House at the Kinsale Inn, 13 Water Street in Mattapoisett, on Wednesday, January 21 from 5:30 to 8:30 pm. Hors d'oeuvres will be served and a cash bar will be available.

Business owners in the tri-town area are invited to attend this informal Open House to meet and network with members of the Tri-Town Business Association who are also owners of businesses or live in the tri-town area. Come learn more about the organization and the benefits of becoming active members of this business group. For more information, please call Bruce Kaiser, Business Manager, Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School, at 508-763-8011, extension 113, Pat Shea at 508-748-



We would like to thank all of our valued customers for making last year a great one!

We hope you all had a wonderful holiday & we look forward to sharing the new year with you!

**Leonard, Joyce, Christy, Julia
Erin & Naomi**

LEONARD'S CUTTERS
PAUL MITCHELL

•Hair •Facials •Waxing •Nailcare

43 Alden Road, Fairhaven
at the Fairhaven Center for Business

Mon., Tues., Wed., Sat. 9-5, Thurs. & Fri. 9-9
(508) 997-9968



Lighthouse Learning Center

79 North St. Mattapoisett

Preschool and exquisite child care, children 1 month-Kindergarten
NAEYC Accreditation License 8117254
Rolling Admission 2009 MA Frameworks
Certified teachers needed Exit 19A, off 195

www.lighthouselearningctr.com

508 758-4884



Barden's Boat Yard, Inc.
2 Island Wharf Rd, Marion • 508-748-0250

Certified Service & Repair ~ Inboards & Outboards
Fiberglass & Carpentry & Rigging & Varnish

Your Full Service Boat Yard on Beautiful Sippican Harbor!

bardensboatyard@comcast.net • www.bardensboatyard.com
est. 1927

2689, or Bev Pierce at 508-763-5503.

Toe Jam in Marion

The famous Toe Jam Puppet Band is coming to the tri-town area for a special show sponsored by the Mattapoisett YMCA. This fun-filled, family show will be at the Sippican Elementary School in Marion on Sunday, January 18 at 11:30 am. Tickets are just \$10 per family, and all proceeds will go to support the Mattapoisett YMCA Annual Scholarship Fund, providing financial assistance for programs and services to those who otherwise cannot afford to participate.

Formed in 2000, the Toe Jam Puppet Band offers a special brand of hands-on children's entertainment that grown-ups can actually enjoy. The dynamic group is great with kids, but best when teachers or parents are having fun with the little ones. The performances are very active, encouraging kids and parents to sing and dance along with the band as they entertain with a unique combination of original songs, masterful shadow puppetry, storytelling and just plain old good fun.

From dance songs like *Do the Conga*, *Barn Dance* and *Block Cheese Dance Party* to interactive songs such as *Car Wash*, *The Flying Laundry* and *The Wacky Bubble Machine*, everyone, young and old, can't resist singing and dancing along. Plain old walls magically become a shadow puppet theater for Mr. Bun, Born a Bug, and various other puppet shows.



NEW CONSTRUCTION
ADDITIONS
RENOVATIONS

**SOUTHCOST DESIGN
& CONSTRUCTION, LLC**

508-758-2474

<http://www.southcoastdc.com>
cmm@southcoastdc.com

Christian McCullough / Michael Bichsel - Owners

The Mannequin's Menagerie Quilt Shop

fabrics, notions, patterns, placemats, runners & quilts

**Celebrating our 1st
Anniversary, to all our
valued customers
1/2 Price Sale
January 15-16-17**

*Keep Your Baby Warm & Cozy On One Of
Our World Famous Handmade
Baby Quilts!*

Lifestyles Plaza
270 Huttleston Ave. Rte. 6
Fairhaven, MA 02719
508-990-1311

Hours:
Tues.-
Sat.
10-4

For All Your Insurance Needs



North Easton
North Easton
Village Shoppes
285 Washington St.
508-238-0056

Bridgewater
Winter Commons
180 Winter Street
508-697-5300

Marion
362 Front Street
508-748-9577

Visit our website at www.MorseIns.com

Stay Warm!



CALL FOR LOW PRICES

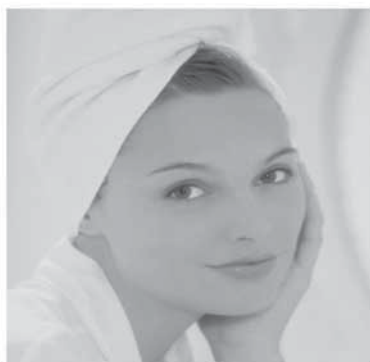
508-992-9524

Credit Cards Accepted

Now Accepting Fuel Assistance

ELIZABETH GRADY

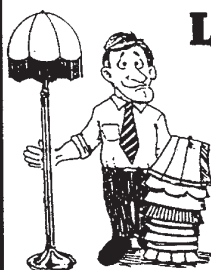
NEW FACE IN TOWN. YOURS.



Elizabeth Grady has changed the face of Boston for over thirty years. Now the world's best face care is right here in Dartmouth. We'll go to town on you from head to toe with everything from relaxing facials, massage, waxing, manicures and pedicures, to our exclusive line of skin care products. Make an appointment today and get ready for a new you.

In **Dartmouth** at 127 Faunce Corner Rd • 508-994-1100
In **Seekonk** at Seekonk Square Plaza • 508-336-7710
www.elizabethgrady.com

New England's Largest Lampshade Retailer



Over 7,000 Lampshades
"Please bring in your lamp for a proper fit"
RESTORED ANTIQUE LIGHTING

We fix lamps

508-994-9784

KINGS LAMP SHADE & LAMP REPAIR CENTER

580 Hathaway Rd. New Bedford

ROUTE 195 WEST TO EXIT 13B (ROUTE
140 NORTH) THEN EXIT 3 (HATHAWAY
ROAD) BEAR RIGHT AT END OF EXIT.
1/2 MILE UP ON LEFT.

OPEN:
Mon.-Sat 10-5

To purchase tickets, please call the Mattapoisett YMCA at 508-758-4203, or go online at www.ymcasouth-coast.org.

Relay For Life Meeting

The American Cancer Society's Relay For Life of Tri-Town Planning Committee is holding a meeting for the 2009 season on Monday, February 2 at 6:00 pm at the Old Rochester Regional High School Library located at 135 Marion Road in Mattapoisett.

Volunteers are needed to organize and recruit teams, seek community support, coordinate logistics, find refreshments and prizes, plan entertainment and lend their support in any way.

Relay For Life is a fun-filled, overnight event that brings the tri-town area together to celebrate survivors (anyone who has ever been diagnosed with cancer), remember loved ones, commit to fight back against this disease, and raise money to assist in finding a cure for cancer.

Relay For Life is as much an awareness-raiser about the progress against cancer as it is a fundraiser. Individuals who are willing to give their time and energy to this exciting event, as a volunteer or participant, have made a commitment to fight back against this disease and let the community know that you, too, can beat cancer.

Volunteers are needed to organize and recruit teams, seek community support, coordinate logistics, find



CALL ME TODAY!
\$500 worth of product!
LIMITED-TIME OFFER!

PARTYLITE®
LIFE IN A WHOLE NEW LIGHT™

Contact
**Sharon
Dribbon**
at

508-830-6703
or email me at
sdribbon@yahoo.com

Earn extra income and have fun!
Start a PartyLite business with a Starter Kit worth \$350 – plus an extra \$150 worth of product – for a limited time! There's no cash investment and never any inventory to carry.
Call me today for the qualifying details.

POWER WASHING

Cleans all types of siding and shingles
also specializing in siding and shingle replacement
New Roofs and Repairs. Free estimates • Insured
Michael Clancy 508-758-4392

refreshments and prizes, plan entertainment and lend their support in any way.

To learn more about Relay For Life, visit www.relayforlife.org. For information about the Tri-Town Planning Committee Meeting, or if you would like to participate at the Relay For Life of Tri-Town event, please contact Caryn Hodges at 508-989-7805 or Carol Lareau at 508-758-9229.

Rochester Country Fair

Tired of winter? Think ahead to the summer as the Rochester Country Fair Committee prepares for its Tenth Annual Country Fair scheduled to take place August 19-23.

The committee is very excited to have achieved this milestone with the help of its community, supporting staff and numerous volunteers and have chosen a "Mardi Gras" theme to celebrate it!

Events and contests are still in the planning stages, but fair-goers should expect to see some spectacular floats, great costumes and music to go along with its



MasterPeace, Inc.

Est. 1992

Lifetime Care

~Newborns to Elders~

A whole person approach

- Personal Care
- Companionship
- New Mom's Support
- Alzheimer's Trained
- Hospice Support
- Spiritual Counseling/Chaplain
- Comfort Care
- Diabetic-Friendly Pedicures
- Referral/Resource/Training
- Short term-Long term care
- One on One Staff Supervision
- Licensed

508-748-3066

masterpeaceinc@verizon.net

Terri Tripp-Warren, President



MATTAPOISETT NEW PRICE \$279,000

SWEET, ONE LEVEL
LIVING. MINT! 3 BEDS,
1 BA, LIVING ROOM,
FIREPLACE, UPDATED
KITCHEN, MUDROOM.
LOVELY YARD, HOT TUB!
2 CAR GARAGE WOOD
FLOORS, GREAT VALUE!



STANDISH SHORES \$310,000

LOVELY, ONE LEVEL
LIVING, 1800SF! NEW
HARD WOODS,
WINDOWS, AND BATH
UPDATED. OPEN FLOOR
PLAN, WALK TO PRIVATE
EACH, NICE AREA!

Mortgage Rates are Great! First time
homebuyer, second home purchases, buying up
for that growing family – call now!

BERNADETTE KELLY 508.789.5072

429 FRONT ST | MARION, MA | 508.748.1379

WWW.SOUTHCOASTREALESTATECO.COM



South Coast
REAL ESTATE CO.

Making the South Coast Home



MARION RENTAL,
\$1600 P/MO NICE,
4 beds, 1 full, 2 half
baths, new eat-in
kitchen, updated
baths, dining room,
living room, den. 2
fireplaces, 1 with
insert! . 2 car
garage, Big yard.
Dead end street!

Best Wishes for 2009!
We look forward to servicing all
of your real estate needs in the
New Year!



We will be open year round
with our regular hours!

Entree of the Week
Chicken Spedini

Tender fillet of chicken marinated in rosemary herb wine sauce, pan seared and served with a horseradish sauce. Ideal for the dieters.

67 County Road, Route 6, Mattapoisett

508-758-9408

Hours: Tues.-Fri. 7-6, Sat. 7-5, Sun. 7-3



Michelle Roy 508-992-9845
www.ReigningCatsNDogs.biz

Pet Sitting Service
Where Pets
Reign Supreme

In home service tailored to your pet's needs:

- Dog Walking
- Medications
- Workday
- Pet Sitting
- Vacations
- Overnights

Catering to pets with special needs

NAPPS Certified
Certified by American
Red Cross in Pet
First Aid & Pet CPR
Bonded • Insured

already popular old-fashion events.

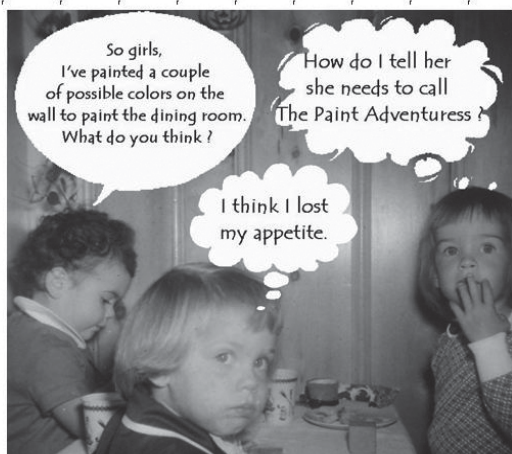
To help raise money during these difficult times, the fair will hold its Annual Dinner Dance at the Redmen Hall in Wareham on Saturday, March 7. Tickets to the fair's Roast Chicken Dinner with music by The Relics will be on sale soon and raffle items are needed. Please contact Bev at Bev-Loves-Books at 508-763-5503 if you would like to donate toward the Rochester Country Fair. More info is also available on the website at www.rochesterma.com.

Marion Art Center

Art Exhibit

The galleries at the Marion Art Center will reopen for the 2009 season on Sunday, January 18 with an exhibition of paintings and drawings by Tibetan children. Curator Kara Linn traveled to Tibet with a variety of art supplies and introduced some children to the concept of making pictures — an activity they had never experienced. The results of her teaching and their exploration of talent will be on display through February 27. The official title of the show is "Tibetan children: Turning the pages of history to a new chapter of peace." Kara will give a gallery talk at the opening on Sunday, January 18 from 4:00 to 6:00 pm. She will discuss some of her adventures and explain insights into the children's interpretations of their world. Admission is free.

"I have been fortunate to have had the opportunity to visit Dharamsala, India twice — once in June, 2007



New Year's Resolution # One
Seek Professional Help

Mary Lou Manley
508-758-2814 508-259-1398
Color Consultation & Painting Services

Paint Adventuress

Michelle Gordon Piano Studio



Fun and Creative Piano Lessons
Over 17 years Experience
Nationally Certified Teacher of Music

508-758-3158
MGordonPiano@ComCast.Net
www.MGordonPiano.ClassicalPianoTeacher.com



72 Kilburn Street, New Bedford, MA 02740
Tel/Fax: 508-992-8878

OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK!
MON.-SAT. 10-5, SUN. 11-4

Directions: Easy Access from Rte 195. Traveling east (from Providence) take exit 16, turn left at stop sign onto Belleville Ave to Kilburn St. Traveling west (from Cape Cod) take exit 17, Coggeshall St. turn left, and left again at lights (Belleville Ave.) to Kilburn St.

and again one year later," Ms. Linn said. "Dharamsala is the location of a large Tibetan Expatriate community, home of the Tibetan Government In-Exile and His Holiness the Fourteenth Dalai Lama."

"My first visit focused on teaching a group of Tibetan orphans from the Tibetan Children's Village how to paint," she added. "The end result was 32 framed paintings reflecting the children's visions of Tibet, their values and their hopes for the future. During my second visit, I organized a second project with another group of Tibetan students at the same school. This project consisted of pairs of student artists and student writers who together produced correlating stories and illustrations that convey the importance of hope in their lives and within the Tibetan

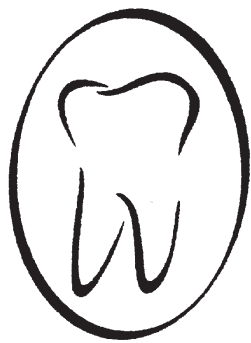
situation as a whole."

The Marion Art Center is located at the corner of Main and Pleasant Streets in Marion. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm, and Saturdays, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

Classes and Lessons

Classes and lessons resumed at the Marion Art Center this week. Private lessons in piano are held on Tuesday with Nancy Sparklin as the instructor and Joyce Jacobsen teaches voice on Wednesdays. Please call the office for more information.

Dance classes are held on Mondays with Kinderstep (ages 3-5) from 3:45 to 4:30 pm and Beginner (ages 6-8) from 4:30 to 5:15 pm. Teah Mazonni is the instruc-



We Welcome
New Patients!

Relaxed Atmosphere & Caring Staff

Oral Conscious Sedation Available

for Anxious Patients

Payment Plans & 0% Financing Available

Cosmetic Dentistry

Hard & Soft Tissue Regeneration

Extractions & Surgery

Implant Placement & Restoration

Management of Gum Disease

Louis P. Kenyon, DMD, PC

General & Implant Dentistry for the Adult

Call 508 758-4818

28 Fairhaven Road (Rte. 6)

Mattapoisett, MA 02739

Personal Touch Salon

*A New Year
with a New Style...*



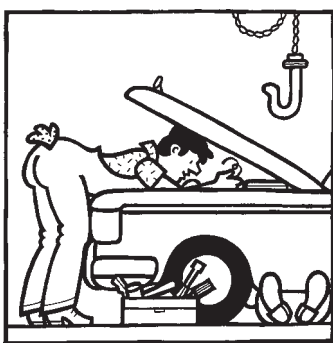
*Come to Personal Touch
for the New You!*

266 Huttleston Ave, Fairhaven • 508-999-9871
Tues.-Fri. 9-8, Sat. 9-5

DeCoffe Automotive Service

GENERAL REPAIRS
Heater & Defroster Repairs

**Need your
heater core
replaced?**
*Come
see us!*



24 HOUR TOWING SERVICE

Days: 758-2153 If No Answer: 758-2425

3 County Road, Route 6, Mattapoisett
(Across from the Jack Conway Building)

Citgo Petroleum Products

OPEN: Monday-Friday 8 to 5:30. Saturday: 8 to 12:30

tor. The fee for the twelve-week session is \$135 for MAC members, \$150 for non-members. There will be an informal recital on May 1.

Young People's Theater classes will be held on Thursdays from 3:30 to 4:30 pm (Grades K-2) beginning January 22. Fee for twelve weeks is \$135 for MAC members, \$150 non-members.

Young People's Theater II (Grades 3-5) meets on Thursdays from 4:30 to 6:00 pm beginning January 22. There will be performances on May 8 and 9. Fee is \$150 for MAC members, \$165 for non-members.

The Advanced Young People's Theater class (Grades 5-8) meets on Tuesdays from 4:00 to 6:00 pm beginning January 27. There will be performances on May 15 and 16. Fee is \$165 for MAC members, \$180 for non-members. Annie Giddings is the instructor. The plays will be chosen to suit the composition and experience of the students. To register for all classes, please call 508-748-1266.

ORCTV Video Camps

ORCTV is offering two video production camps to tri-town youth. These camps will run during the February and April school vacation weeks. Youth will learn digital camcorders, editing and studio production. Space is limited. The cost is \$100 per child per session, ages 12-15. Please call ORCTV at 508-748-1600 to sign up or for more information, or go to www.orctv.org. Price includes snacks, t-shirt and annual ORCTV membership. They will also be offering two summer expanded camps — please call to inquire.

Toe Jam in Mattapoisett

The Project GROW Parents' Group is holding its annual fundraising concert featuring the Toe Jam Puppet Band on Saturday, January 24 at 2:00 pm. The Toe Jam Puppet Band offers a unique brand of hands-on childrens' entertainment that adults enjoy as well! This year's concert will have a "hoe-down" theme.

Their performances are very interactive, encouraging children and parents to sing and dance along with the band as they entertain with a unique combination of



The Doggie Dorm & More

**Rt. 6, 19R County Road
Mattapoisett**

*"A safe place for your dog to stay while
you're at work, home or away"*

Birthday Parties

*We supply decorations, cake & treats
for your dog and their friends.*



**Tel/Fax 508-758-3670
Cell 774-248-3124**

Owner
Liz Hougasian

TEMPUR-PEDIC Mattresses - "Take care of yourself" this year - call for the Best Prices anywhere! 774-930-8698 Gotta Have It Inc! Route 6, Fairhaven

original songs, storytelling, masterful shadow puppetry and just plain old fun!

Admission is \$10 per family with all proceeds benefiting the Project GROW classrooms and scholarship. Project GROW is an integrated public pre-school that services children living in the Old Rochester Regional School District. Tickets will be available at the door.

This year, Project GROW will also be hosting a bake sale to offer goodies and refreshments to help raise extra funds for classrooms and scholarships.

Please plan to attend the concert on January 24 at 2:00 pm in the Center School Gymnasium in Mattapoisett. Center School is located at 17 Barstow Street in the village. Come along for some singing, dancing and down home fun!

Magic of Music Idol

On Saturday, March 7, Jill Jensen, founder of the Magic of Music Scholarship Program, will be holding its Second Annual Idol Contest at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Mattapoisett at 6:30 pm. The idol contest proceeds



Sunnynook Farm

32 Neck Road
Rochester, MA 02770

Frequent Flyer Cards and Pine Bush Bird Feeders Available



508-763-5405

Open Mon.-Fri. 8:30-5pm, Sat 8-4

WINTER SALE

Continues

30%-75% Off

PANACHE

Clothing and Accessories that make you feel Great!

*Happy New
Year to All Our
Customers*

*Does not apply to previous purchases or layaways

Mon-Sat 9:30-5:30

33 County Road, Rte. 6, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 • 508•758•9622 • www.ropewalkmall.com

GRAND OPENING SPECIAL

BUY 1 GET SECOND TIRE HALF PRICE

BUY 3 GET FOURTH TIRE FREE!!

FREE MOUNTING AND BALANCING

with tire purchase

Average 75 percent tread depth
at a fraction of the price!

35 County Road

Rochester/West Wareham Town Line

West Wareham, MA, 02576

Grand Opening

**used
tire
warehouse
inc.**

508-295-4300

All tires pressure tested
for quality assurance

Winter hours:

M-F 8-5

Sat 8-4

Closed Sunday



Tender Hearts Home Health Care

- ♥ Companionship
- ♥ Alzheimer's Care
- ♥ Hospice Support
- ♥ Licensed & Bonded
- ♥ Personal Care
- ♥ Homemaking
- ♥ 24 Hr. On-Call
- ♥ RN Consultant



Tabitha Tripp
Founder

*Dedicated to Keeping
the "Heart" in
Home Care ♥*



508-748-1331

www.TenderHeartsCare.com

EXPERIENCE THE SIMPLE ELEGANCE



CUSTOM FRAME DESIGN AND GALLERY.

The Ropewalk. 33 COUNTY RD. MATTAPOISETT, MA.

(508) 758 - 6600 Mon. - Sat. 9:30-5:30

benefit Ms. Jensen's scholarship program which enables kids to pursue their musical dreams. This past year, Ms. Jensen has provided almost \$4,000 in scholarships to local kids and organizations to help pay for music/dance lessons as well as musical instruments and related materials.

The Idol Contest is open to any performer interested between the ages of 6 and 18. There will be winners from three different categories based upon the applicants. Applications for the idol contest can be downloaded at the Magic of Music Website at www.magicofmusic.weebly.com. All acts are limited to two minutes.

Winners in each category will receive cash and donated prizes from community sponsors. An over-all winner will receive studio time at The New England Music Group of Taunton to record a CD among other community-sponsored prizes and the opportunity to perform with the Magic of Music Troupe throughout the SouthCoast area during 2009.

All applicants must submit a competition CD and an application with a \$20 registration fee by February 20 in order to participate in the event. Please contact Jill Jensen at magicofmusic4u@aol.com or call 508-521-0737 for more information.

FISH Volunteers Needed

FISH of Mattapoisett, the group of volunteers who assist in getting rides for people that have medical appointments and do not drive, are desperately in need of

Chimney Sweep Professionals

Joe Podrecca 508-758-4238

Chimney Sweeping & Inspections

Masonry Restoration

Water Sealing & Flashing Repair

Chimney Relining

Chimney Caps & Dampers

Insurance & Home Buyer Inspections

Nationally Certified Sweep CSIA #6148

Member National Chimney Sweep Guild

Massachusetts Chimney Sweep Guild

Professionally Trained & Equipped

In operation since 1997



**DIRK MURPHY
CONSTRUCTION**

Build It Green!

Building or Remodeling with a focus on energy efficiency, sustainability & non-toxic materials.

Dirk Murphy
Licensed & Insured
508-758-4266
builditgreen@comcast.net

telephone volunteers.

All you need to do is give one weekday per month. You give the Director your name and telephone number. You just tell him what day of the week (Monday through Friday) you would be able to volunteer your time. Then when your day comes up, if any calls come through for someone needing a ride to the doctor, you just go through your driver volunteer list and find that person a ride.

Help is desperately needed. Please contact Jack McGill at 508-758-3542 with your name, phone number, and which day of the month you could volunteer.

Your help is greatly appreciated. This is such a needed service in Mattapoisett. There are many people who do not drive and have no other way of getting to their doctor's appointments.

Rochester Library Trustees

The Trustees for the Joseph Plumb Memorial Library in Rochester are seeking to fill vacant seats on the board. The Trustees would like to invite members of the Rochester community who have an interest in libraries to contact Library Director Gail Roberts, either by dropping by the library, calling 508-763-8600, or emailing groberts@sailsinc.org. Anyone interested in becoming a Trustee is invited to attend the next meeting on Saturday, February 7 at 8:30 am.

Commitment to the board is at least one to two

Organize It!

Home and Office Solutions



ANNE S. LANGLOIS
- Professional Organizer -

11 Tupola Lane • Mattapoisett, MA 02739
Phone/Fax: (508) 758-8585
E-mail: info@organizeitbyanne.com
www.organizeitbyanne.com

The Fast Track to Unstoppable Confidence, Fitness and Mental Well-Being!

Youth Martial Arts (4yrs & up)
Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu
Thai Kickboxing
Core Fitness Conditioning
Vinyasa Power Yoga

"I have seen a dramatic increase in my son's confidence over the last 6 months. Nexus has been huge for his self-esteem!"

- Gretchen Sullivan



"Since joining Nexus, not only am I in the best shape of my life, but also my overall health has never been better. My cholesterol's under control, my confidence is higher than it's ever been and my ability to deal with stress has been improved dramatically."

- Brian Hayes



"The coaching at Nexus is stellar.... Class is always a blast!"

- Priscilla Connolly



JUMP START SPECIAL

One Week Free
PLUS: Get an additional 3 Weeks & Uniform for Only \$49.95!

CALL TODAY
508-295-5427



- 24/7 BLACKOUT PROTECTION
- EASY INSTALLATION
- NO MANUAL STARTING OR REFUELING
- RUNS OFF LP or NATURAL GAS

CONTROL YOUR POWER CONTROL YOUR LIFE



GUARDIAN
by Generac Power Systems, Inc.

AUTOMATIC STANDBY GENERATOR

F. D. Jones Electric, Inc.

11 Industrial Drive

Mattapoisett, MA 02739

508-763-2721

508-758-6505

7KW
Pre-packaged only
\$3990. installed
Gas Installation
not included

OPEN ALL YEAR!

Pay by Credit Card, Debit Card or Cash

* Simoniz Products *

TARKILN HILL CAR WASH featuring... Water Wizard



Touch Free w/ Dryer 6am-midnight

41 Tarkiln Hill Road (Across from Trio Liquors)

New Bedford • 774-454-7466

hours per month. Meetings are held on the second Saturday of every month from 8:30 to 10:00 am throughout the year. Qualifications necessary to fill this post include a belief in the library and its role in the community and a willingness to advocate when necessary.

For more information on the vacancy and the requirements, please come to the meeting or contact Library Director Gail Roberts for more information.

Marion Council on Aging

Podiatry Clinic

The next podiatry clinic will be held on February 9 beginning at 1:00 pm at the COA office. Appointments are needed.

Cardiac Prevention

A Cardiac Prevention Program will be held on February 17 from 8:30 am to 1:00 pm at the Town Hall. Cholesterol, blood sugar, and blood pressure screenings will be available and a nurse and dietitian will be available to answer any questions. There is no charge for this program.

Parkinson's Group

The next Parkinson's Group meeting will be held on February 12 at 1:00 pm at the Dartmouth Council on Aging (COA).

ORR Super Bowl Subs

The Patriots won't be in the playoffs this year, but one tradition lives on with ORR's Super Bowl Subs!

Since 1988, the Friends of Old Rochester Music (FORM) has been making and selling Super Bowl Subs as their major fund raiser of the year! Music Students from both ORR Junior and Senior High School will be selling and delivering 10-inch Classic Italian Subs for \$6 each. The freshly-made subs will be delivered within the tri-towns on Super Bowl Sunday, February 1, between 12:00 noon and 4:00 pm. Pre-payment is required.

James Farmer, band director at Old Rochester Regional Junior High, originally got the idea from another director and he has seen his share of subs through the years.

"It is amazing that this has been going on as long

BURR BROTHERS BOATS, INC.

A Full Service Boat Yard

Complete Marine Store

SPECIAL ORDERS WELCOME

~ Safety Equipment ~ Rope ~

~ Fasteners ~ Interlux Paint Dealer ~

~ New England Rope ~ Sunfish ~

~ Seitech Dollies ~

~ Outboard Parts ~



309 FRONT STREET, MARION

(508) 748-0541

full service florist.garden shop.landscpe design/build



Eden Landscapes **Florist & Garden Shop**

337 Wareham Road, Marion
508-748-0225

www.edenlandscapesfloristandgardenshop.com

as it has," he said, "it is more than just a fund raiser, it's a tradition!"

Subs can be ordered from any ORR Music Student or via the FORM website at www.form02739.org. If you have any further questions, please call Debra at 508-748-1822.

Mattapoisett Maconchu Club

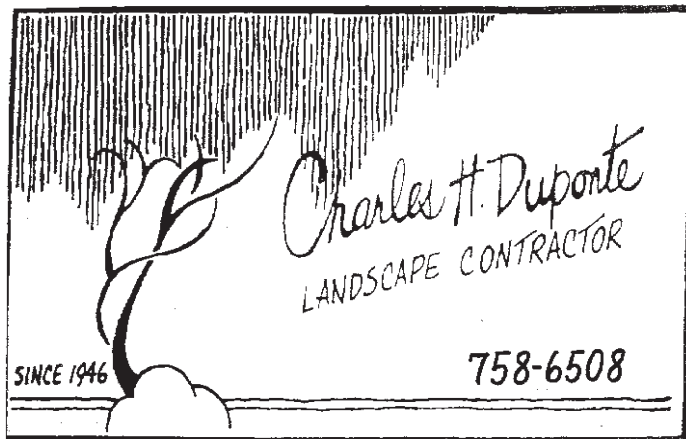
The Maconchu Club of the Mattapoisett Congregational Church is planning its annual Bingo Night on Saturday, January 17 at 7:30 pm at the church. It's a fun night and anyone is welcome to join in.

As part of the fun, players are asked to bring some small "treasure," unwrapped and inexpensive, to use as prizes for the lucky winners. Coffee and dessert will round out the evening and guests are always welcome.

Mattapoisett Town Clerk

The Mattapoisett Town Clerk's office is open Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm and the second and fourth Tuesday of the month until 6:00 pm.

2009 Hunting and Fishing Licenses - Licenses are available for purchase. If you are applying for a hunting license please be sure to bring a previous year's license with you. If you do not have a previous license, then a Certificate of Competency of completion from a basic hunter education course is acceptable. No previous license



www.wanderer.com



Winter Clearance Sale Continues

50 % Off
**All
Winter
Merchandise**

8 County Road, Rt. 6 Mattapoisett MA
(508) 758 4800

Winter Hours: Tues.-Fri. 12-5:30,
Sat. 10-5:30



**"You Can Count On Us
to Keep You Informed"
Do you know...**

A portion of your real estate taxes is deductible even if you don't file long form.

Taxes • Bookkeeping

Fully Computerized

Quick Books Professional Advisors

We Cater to the Small Business Person

119 North Street • (508) 758-4430
Mattapoisett, MA • FAX (508) 758-4728



Designer Eyewear at Affordable Prices

Designer of the Month

Purchase frame and lenses and receive

IZOD 30% OFF!

Cannot be combine with other offers. This offer available in Fairhaven only.

Expires January 31 2009



**"Dr. Sylvia, Eyecare Specialist...
SEE HOW GOOD YOU CAN LOOK!"**

Dr. Scott W. Sylvia & Associates, P.C.
provides comprehensive eye care services including infection and
disease treatment, contact lens services, laser vision correction,
digital imaging services and designer eyewear.

33 Bordon Way • Fairhaven, MA • 02719 • (508) 990-2020
2038 Massachusetts Avenue • Cambridge, MA • 02140 • (617) 864-3147
www.drscottsylvania.com

is necessary for a Fishing license only.

2009 Dog Licenses – Licenses are available. The dog's rabies vaccination must be up to date and a certificate on file to obtain a license. The fee is \$10 for male/female and \$7 for spayed/neutered. If the dog owner is age 70 or over, the license is free of charge but rabies information must be on file. Please call the office if you have any questions.

2009 Census – Each household should be receiving a Town census form within the next few weeks. Please look it over carefully, make any additions, corrections or deletions necessary, sign and return to this office as soon as possible. If you are a registered voter, non-response to census may result in removal from the active voting list.

Town Nomination Papers – nomination papers are available for the following Town Offices: Selectman, Assessor, Mattapoisett School Committee, Library Trustee, Moderator, Water/Sewer Commissioner, Highway Surveyor, Board of Health, Planning Board, Mattapoisett Housing Authority, and Community Preservation Committee. The last day to obtain papers is *Friday March 27, 2009* and they must be returned by *Monday March 30, 2009*. The Town Election is scheduled for Tuesday May 19, 2009.

Sippican Choral Society

The Sippican Choral Society welcomes new members for the spring semester. Rehearsals for the 2009 Spring concert, "Days of Blue and Gray," are now taking place on Monday evenings at 7:30 pm. New members may join until January 26 and no auditions are required. The Spring concert will be held May 8 and May 9 at St. Gabriel's Church in Marion, and will feature music of the Civil War era. Rehearsals will be held on Monday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 pm in the Mattapoisett Congregational Church's Reynard Hall, 27 Church Street, Mattapoisett. For more information, please contact: osuch1@aol.com.

Rochester's Plumb Library

Following are upcoming programs to be held at



Specializing In:
New Homes •
Additions •
Kitchens •
Baths •
Siding •
Roofing •
Snow Plowing •

508. 758.6030
508.965.4468

Licensed & Insured

mhotte1@verizon.net

the Plumb Memorial Library in Rochester:

• Non-Fiction Book Group: The January book is *The Children's Blizzard* by David Laskin. On Thursday, January 12, 1888, the temperature on the Dakota prairie dropped 18 degrees in three minutes. This disastrous blizzard revealed that the free homesteads given to thousands of immigrants was not a paradise. Our discussion will take place on Tuesday, January 20 at 6:30 pm at the library. Books are available at the library.

• Cafe Parlez book group: On Thursday, January 29 at 6:30, they will be discussing *The Widow's War* by Sally Gunning. In a small Cape Cod village in 1761, one woman is about to engage in the struggle of her life, defying family, friends, and neighbors in a fight for her freedom. Books are available at the library.

• Ongoing programs: Sit-n-stitch knitting group takes place every Monday from 6:30 to 8:00 pm. All knitters, crocheters, and quilters are invited; beginners are welcome. The Genealogy group meets every Thursday from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. Anyone interested in family or local history is invited to come by.

Mattapoissett YMCA

Shining Tides Preschool

Shining Tides Preschool at the Mattapoissett YMCA, a division of YMCA Southcoast, is holding the annual Open House and Registration night on Tuesday, February 3 from 4:00 to 5:00 pm.

Shining Tide Preschool is licensed by the Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Care. The program is also accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC).

The National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC) helps parents feel good about the child care, preschool, and kindergarten programs they choose. More than 20 years ago, NAEYC created an accreditation system to improve the quality of education and care provided in programs for young children. NAEYC Accreditation has become the mark of quality, helping parents find the best possible early childhood experience.

For more information on the Open House, please

Mattapoissett Housewrights Building Co.

FULL SERVICE BUILDING COMPANY:
New Homes • Renovations • Additions
Custom Builders

Lic.#031265 HIC#112260 • Est. 1986

23 Tinkham Lane, Mattapoissett
(508) 758-9707



Join Us for Breakfast
Friday, Saturday and Sunday
Eggs Benedict, Prime Rib & Eggs
Vegetable & Pasta Frittata
Pull Pork Omelette
Lunch & Dinner
Thin Crust Pizza
Prime Rib • Fish & Chips

Hours: Mon-Thur 11am-8pm, Fri & Sat 7am-9pm
565 Rounseville Road, Rochester • 508-763-8544

Marion Family Chiropractic
now offers convenient
Saturday appointments



Individual Care Given With
Kindness and Respect.
Infants to seniors.

Most insurance accepted.
(508) 748-6632

Celebrating our 30th year in business!!!

OPEN HOUSE

01/22/09
3pm-8pm

Mr. Chris and About
Face team up to offer
you a day of beauty

Free Nu-skin
galvanic spa treatment

Free permanent
make-up consultation by
Connie

Facials by Kathy

Colors/Cuts by Mr. Chris



Simply the Best! **VOTED BEST HAIRCUT** 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008

MR. CHRIS HAIR DESIGN

2512 Cranberry Hwy, Rte 28, Wareham
located across from the Wareham Police Station

508-295-6048

Open Mon, Thurs & Sat 8am-6pm, Tues & Fri 8am-8:30pm
Walk-ins always welcome



Fisher & Rocha, Inc.

Since 1965

Featured in Builder/Architect Magazine



Quality Custom Builders

NEW CONSTRUCTION
REMODELING | REPAIRS
PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

**Don't settle for less.
The equity you have
in your home is too
important.**

508 758 6738

17 Fairhaven Road | Mattapoisett | MA 02739

www.fisherrocha.com
Fully Insured: HIC LIC#100157



MEMBER
NAHB
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
OF HOME BUILDERS



call the Mattapoisett YMCA located at 38 Reservation Road in Mattapoisett. The phone number is 508-758-4203.

Wellness Programs

The Mattapoisett YMCA, a division of YMCA Southcoast, is offering several wellness programs for adults:

- **Yoga:** Yoga classes are offered twice a week at the YMCA facility on Reservation Road. Taught by veteran yoga instructor Deb Dixon, these classes are designed for all abilities. Classes meet on Monday from 5:30 to 6:30 pm and Wednesday from 6:45 to 8:00 pm. These classes are free for YMCA Southcoast members and \$5/class for guests. No registration necessary.

- **LifeFit:** LifeFit is a fun, upbeat 45-minute workout to music. You will learn a great variety of low-impact dance moves. The routine and music changes every six weeks, so you won't get bored! This class is designed to work every muscle and to give a full aerobic benefit. After a warm up and then the workout, the class ends with an upper and lower body stretch routine, followed by breathing and relaxation techniques. This class meets on Saturdays from 9:30 to 10:15 am. This class is free for YMCA Southcoast members and \$5/class for guests. No registration necessary.

For more information and to register for any of these programs, please call or visit the Mattapoisett YMCA, located at 38 Reservation Road in Mattapoisett. The phone number is 508-758-4203.

ORR Screening Clinic

The Old Rochester Regional School District will offer a screening clinic for Tri-Town families with children from birth through age five on Wednesday, January 28 at Sippican School in Marion. The purpose of the clinic is to take a quick look at a child's development including speech/language, gross and fine motor and cognitive development and determine if further evaluation is required. If a family has a concern about their child's development in any of these areas, please call 508-748-0100 to schedule an appointment. Children from birth up to age three will be screened by Early Intervention specialists from the I. H. Schwartz Center. Preschoolers will

Personal and Business Storage Units

MATTAPOISETT SELF STORAGE



508-758-4311

CLIMATE CONTROLLED

be screened by a public school early childhood/special education team.

Nasketucket Bird Club

At the next public meeting of the Nasketucket Bird Club, guest speaker Jerry Berrier, disabled by blindness, will describe his methods for identifying a wide variety of bird species

The Nasketucket Bird Club meeting on Thursday, January 22 begins at 7:00 pm at the Mattapoisett Public Library. The public is invited to attend to learn not only how Mr. Berrier developed this remarkable skill, but about the tools he uses to aid in his bird identification. Mr. Berrier works professionally as an Access Technology Training Consultant for the Massachusetts Commission for the Blind. His community activities include designing and maintaining the Bay State Council of the Blind web site, and President of the Memorial Foundation for the Blind, a charitable foundation.

The public is cordially invited to attend. Please use the south side door of the Mattapoisett Public Library, located on 7 Barstow Street. For further information, please call club president Mike Labossiere at 508-758-4460.

Friends of the Elderly

Mamma Mia!

On Tuesday, January 20 at 12:30 pm, the Mattapoisett Friends of the Elderly will show the movie *Mamma*

Serendipity by the Sea



Final Winter Clearance
50% OFF

Fun, Funky, Original
as well as Classic Gifts!

160 Front Street, Marion Village
508-748-1800
Winter Hours: Mon.-Sat. 9:30-5

Prana - Yoga Wear • Maruca • Unique Jewelry • Mariposa • Vietri



SEAHORSE WINE & SPIRITS

"YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD LIQUOR STORE."

SPIRITS

Kahlua

750ml \$19.99

Svedka Vodka

1.75L \$20.99

Sailor Jerry Spiced Rum

1.75L \$29.99

Vikingfjord Vodka

1.75L \$19.99

BEER

Sam Adams

6pk \$8.69 +dep

Pabst Blue Ribbon

18pk \$10.09 +dep

Miller High Life

12pk \$9.39 +dep

Budweiser & Bud Light

18pk \$15.09 +dep

Blue Moon Winter Lager

6pk \$8.69 +dep

WINE

Ravenswood

All Varietals

750ml 2 for \$18

Twenty Rows

Merlot, Grappler, Cabernet Sauvignon

750ml \$19.99

Bogel

Merlot & Chardonnay

750ml \$9.99

Alamos

Malbec & Chardonnay

750ml \$9.99

Oyster Bay

Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc & Merlot

750ml 2 for \$22

Sutter Home

White Zinfandel

1.5L \$8.99

Woodbridge

All Varietals

1.5L \$12.99

Beaujolais Nouveau 2008 Now Available

59 County Road Mattapoisett, MA 02739 | 508.758.3821



Jumbo opportunities. Surprisingly close to home.

A jumbo mortgage from Bank of Fall River comes with added assurance.

As a small community bank, we service all our mortgages. That means we're the only people you'll ever have to call.

Inquire today about our flexible plans and competitive rates. Whether you're purchasing or refinancing, our jumbo mortgages offer some major benefits.



BANK OF FALL RIVER

CHARTERED 1888

The relationship you've been looking for.

508.678.7655

www.bankoffallriver.com

Fall River • Dighton/Taunton • Fairhaven

Member FDIC

Member SIF

Equal Housing Lender

Mia! in the COA rooms in Center School. It's a fun movie with lots of ABBA songs. Dessert also will be served. Please call the COA office and leave your name so that they may have a count. It's all free! Hope to see you there!

Shaw's Receipts

Please keep saving your Shaw's supermarket receipts. Please leave them at the Mattapoisett COA office, the Mattapoisett Town Hall and Seaport Ice Cream and Coffee Shop. They are much-appreciated.

Dine-Out Books

The Friends have sold all their Dine-Out Books but may order more if they have calls for them. Please call the COA office and leave your name if interested.

Tri-Town Early Childhood

Sandwiched between coverage of the historic inauguration/parade and the inaugural balls, consider coming out to learn how early education and care programs are faring in the current political / economic climate. Proven as one of the most effective ways to prepare children for school success, the network of high quality early childhood programs and services is united in the Tri-Town area through the Early Childhood Council.

Hear about how a dedicated group of parents and early childhood professionals are striving to insure programs and services for children from birth through age five are minimally impacted. Find out what is available to help raise and educate your young child. Learn ways that you can have an impact on future programs, services and funding.

The council will meet at the Center School from 6:00 to 8:00 pm on Tuesday, January 20. All parents, interested community members and early childhood professionals are welcome.

Mattapoisett Women's Club

Travel to a far away city once ruled by sultans, and today, continues as the number one beach location in East Africa, the Zanzibar Islands off the Tanzanian coast. Speaker Kathy Sanderson, a sales manager for AAA, will presents "Something Nearby or Something Afar" as she whisks the Mattapoisett Women's Club to this wonderful



Earth Sisters

515 New Bedford Rd. Rochester

508-577-2152

Open Thurs. - Sat.

10am - 4pm

Soy candles, natural soaps, lotion,
lip balms, gift baskets,
hats, gloves, mittens.

island destination. Come see classic tropical beaches, and lush plantations, learn about an incredible history and a fascinating culture.

Several domestic excursions are on this virtual tour, as well. New York, where the city dishes up exquisite gastronomic delights, and there is nothing quite like charming Cape Cod in the fall and winter. No traffic makes it a fun time to reconnect with the Cape — it is totally unlike the summer experience. Browse the art galleries or visit the Maritime Museum. And for the more adventurous, bundle up for the cold and hike out to Race Point in Provincetown for some amazing winter birding, see close up the beautiful and exceptionally graceful jaegers, murre, razorbills, loons and the winter ducks.

"The excitement and beauty of Cape Cod is there for the taking," declared Ms. Sanderson.

Please join the club on Thursday, January 15 at 12:00 noon in Reynard Hall at Mattapoisett's Congregational Church, 27 Church Street. Guests always welcome.

Mattapoisett Taxes Due

The third quarter of the 2009 Actual Tax Bills are due Monday, February 2. Tax bills were mailed on December 31, 2008. Taxpayers should retain the fourth quarter payment coupon for payment due by May 1.

Taxpayers are encouraged to register for making on-line payments on the eBill website at www.mcc.net. By using eBill taxpayers can have their payments withdrawn

Sail Away Studio
 251 Main St
 Wareham
 sailawaystudio.com

• A Valentine Fish?
 • A Red Cozy Throw?
 • A handmade Red Wool handbag?
 • Pink Oyster Plates and a STARfish Martini glasses?
 • Perfect Gifts for your Perfect Valentine...
 • All Xmas things 20-40% off!
 SHOP HOURS: TUES-Sat 10am-5pm

HILLER FUELS INC.

147 Front St., Marion, MA 02738

SALES & SERVICE

**HEATING OIL
 HEATING SYSTEMS
 BURNER CONTRACTS
 TANK INSTALLATION
 TANK INSURANCE
 BUDGET PLANS
 FREE ESTIMATES**



508-748-0020

24 HOUR SERVICE
 (FOR HILLER CUSTOMERS)

Servicing Mattapoisett, Rochester, Wareham, N. Acushnet, Marion

MILESTONES

Deaths



Rev. Deacon Antonio M. daCruz, 80, of Marion died January 6, 2009 unexpectedly at St. Luke's Hospital. He was the husband of the late Joanna S. "Jenny" (Santos) daCruz.

Born in Warwick, RI, the son of the late Miguel J. and Francesca (Reis) daCruz, he lived in New Bedford and Dartmouth most of his life before moving to Marion three years ago.

Reverend Deacon daCruz was a parishioner of Our Lady of the Assumption Church where he served as a permanent deacon.

He was formerly employed as an electronic engineer at the U.S. Naval Underwater Systems Center for many years until retirement.

Reverend Deacon daCruz was a member of the Knights of Columbus and the National Association of Retired Federal Employees. He was a graduate of Northeastern University, class of 1956 and was a member of the Eta Kappa Nu Fraternity.

He was a loving father and grandfather.

Survivors include two sons, Antonio daCruz, Jr. and his fiancée Caroline of New Bedford and Miguel "Michael" daCruz and his wife Sherry of Dartmouth; five daughters, Linda Teixeira and her husband Anthony "Skip" of Marion, Joan Dancy and her husband David and Andrea Barrett, all of New Bedford, Anita Atalig of Tamuning, Guam and April Agbai of Baltimore; 20 grandchildren, including Leo Beltran, III and Victor Maisonave, III who were his caretakers for a few years; 20 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was the father of the late Koren daCruz and the brother of the late Joseph daCruz, Robert daCruz and Mary Walker.

Burial was at St. John's Cemetery. For on-line guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

Theresa Ann (LaBrie) Hall, 66, of Rochester, passed away at home on Thursday, January 8, 2009, after a long courageous battle with cancer. She was the loving wife of George "Rick" F. Hall, married 37 years; and daughter of the late Adrian and Rose (LaCroix) LaBrie.

She was born in Acushnet and lived most of her life in Rochester. In her leisure time she enjoyed sewing and crafts; but most of all her whole life was devoted to her family and friends.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Christine M. Hall of Jacksonville, FL and Tracy Lee Hall and her companion, Jeff Hardaker of Providence, RI; two sisters, Elaine DeRego of Florida and Susan St. Amand of Acushnet.

Arrangements by the Rock Funeral Home, New Bedford, MA

Marjorie A. (Williamson) Mitchell, 69, of Mattapoisett, passed away on Tuesday, January 6, 2009, at St. Luke's Hospital, after a brief illness. She was the loving wife of Barry C.

Mitchell, married 48 years; and daughter of the late Walter and Theresa Williamson.

She was born in Weymouth and lived in Brockton and New Bedford prior to living in Mattapoisett since 1994. She graduated from Brockton High School.

She was formerly employed as a co-op Advertising Manager for Mars Stores, Brooks Headquarters in Pawtucket, RI and the past five years at The Standard-Times.

Mrs. Mitchell enjoyed traveling with her husband and eating out at restaurants.

Survivors include her husband; her niece, Cheryl Joy of Braintree; and her nephew, Walter Williamson, Jr., and his wife, Maribel of Dartmouth. She was the mother of the late Scott Mitchell; and sister of the late Walter and Mary Williamson.

Arrangements by the Rock Funeral Home, New Bedford.

Amanda (Texiera) Sylvia, 85, of Marion, died Thursday, January 8, 2009 at the Tobey Hospital in Wareham. She was the widow of the late Antonio Sylvia.

Born in Wareham, the daughter of the late John and Angelina (Randall) Texiera, she lived in Marion for many years.

Mrs. Sylvia worked as a private housekeeper for many years. She was a communicant of St. Rita's Church in Marion.

Survivors include her daughter, Jane Reis of Alexandria, VA; her sister, Josephine Lopes of Wareham; her granddaughter, Veronica Reis of Alexandria, VA; her nephew, Glen Lopes of Wareham; her niece, Nancy Ann Lopes of Wareham and several other nieces and nephews in the New Bedford area.

Arrangements by the Chapman, Cole and Gleason Funeral Home, 2599 Cranberry Highway (Route 28), Wareham.

Helen L. (Sullivan) Houdelette, 87, died Friday, December 26, 2008 at University Hospital in Tamarac, FL. She was the wife of the late Frederick G. Houdelette.

Born in Kouchibouguac, New Brunswick, Canada, the daughter of the late Daniel and Annie (Roache) Sullivan, she was one of 13 children.

Mrs. Houdelette was a graduate of Frederickton Normal School, and after her marriage moved to Wareham where she lived until last year. She was a second grade teacher in the Wareham School System for over 20 years, teaching at Pilgrim Memorial School and Decas School.

She is survived by her daughter, Marilyn A. Deignan of Coral Springs, FL and her son, Gregory W. Houdelette and his wife Carol of Marion; her brother, Joseph Sullivan of British Columbia; her sisters, Annie Cormier and Alice Tuck both of Moncton, New Brunswick, Canada and Betty Widelski and her husband John of Fort Pierce, FL; five grandchildren, Robert Deignan and his wife Cheryl, Daniel Deignan and his fiancée Brandi Ferrara and Colleen Deignan all of Florida, Nicole Ragognetti and her husband Chris of Framingham, and Gabriel W. Houdelette and his wife Kate of Marion; three great grandchildren, Alex J. Ragognetti, Elizabeth W. Houdelette and Caroline W. Houdelette.

Arrangements by the Chapman, Cole and Gleason Funeral Home, 2599 Cranberry Highway (Route 28), Wareham.

from their checking or savings accounts or can make payments using MasterCard, American Express and Discover credit cards. Payments can be made using eBill until 11:59 pm on the due date of February 2.

Other options for taxpayers are to mail their payments to P.O. Box 1596 or deposit payments in the mail slot located near the back corner of Town Hall. Payments are due in the Collector's Office no later than 4:00 pm on February 2, therefore, taxpayers should allow sufficient time for mail travel when mailing payments. If paying by personal online banking, taxpayers should allow sufficient time for the bank to generate a check and mail it to the Town; and they should make sure there is sufficient information on the check identifying which bill should be credited with the payment. The Tax Collector's Office is open for business Monday through Friday from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm.

According to state statute, failure to receive a tax bill does not relieve the taxpayer of the requirement to pay the tax bill and any resulting penalties and interest if the payment is late. Interest accrues at a rate of 14 percent per annum on bills not paid by the due date. It is the property owner's responsibility to insure taxes are paid on time and in full.

Please call the Tax Collector's Office at 508-758-4100, extension 1 for questions regarding payments. Questions regarding property values and abatements should be directed to the Assessors' Office at 508-758-4100, extension 3.

Marion Taxes Due

Marion Tax Collector Gary J. Carreiro would like to remind residents that the third quarter Fiscal Year 2009 Actual Real Estate and Personal Property Tax Bills are due Monday, February 2, 2009. Taxpayers may make payments online at www.townofmarion.org through eBill having their payments directly withdrawn from their checking or savings account or alternately mailing their payments to the Town of Marion, 2 Spring Street, Marion, MA 02738, or by making payments directly at the Marion Town House, Monday through Thursday from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm and on Friday from 8:00 am to 3:30 pm.



Electric, Alarms, Generators

Master Lic. A11161

Mattapoisett

508-758-4469

chris@cfdarcyelectric.com

*At **Surroundings** our Mission is to offer our customers Home Furnishings and Accents which have been carefully hand selected by our staff of professional interior designers.*

Texture, Color, Placement and Function are essential elements to any interior home design. Our staff looks forward to making your decisions the best, most informed ones possible.



Surroundings...Offering a full range of Interior Design Services.



SURROUNDINGS

for the home

RIVER ★ SHOPS

Rt. 6 Mattapoisett, MA

508 758-9933 Open Mon.-Sat. 9:30-5:00



MOVIE REVIEW

Let Us Prey

By Rob Gonsalves
www.robsmovievault.com

Doubt. Starring Meryl Streep and Philip Seymour Hoffman. Directed by John Patrick Shanley. Running time: 104 minutes. MPAA rating: PG-13.

Typically, a movie only gets awards for editing if it's action-packed or a thriller — something show-offy. Among other things, *Doubt* reminded me of the virtues of clean, unobtrusive editing that keeps a drama ticking along like a Rolex. Adapted by writer-director John Patrick Shanley from his own 2004 play, the film is practically all talk, all ideas, all stagebound (despite a few stabs at "opening it out"). Yet none of it is stifling. Editor Dylan Tichenor (who cut three of Paul Thomas Anderson's films) clips scenes to the bone and essence. Throw in master cinematographer Roger Deakins' magical control of deep grays and browns, and you'd have a beautiful piece of filmmaking even if it were acted by robots in clown suits.

Which it isn't, obviously; *Doubt* is very much engineered as the Acting Olympics, mainly enacting the conflict between a priest who befriends a young black boy and a nun who suspects impropriety between the two. Here you have Philip Seymour Hoffman as the priest, Father Flynn, a pre-Vatican II progressive thinker, and Meryl Streep as Sister Aloysius, a headmistress whose name strikes terror in the students of the church's adjoining school. You might think you know how this will play out: the sweaty, flabby, furtive Hoffman of all those P.T. Anderson films up against the she-who-must-be-obeyed Streep of *The Devil Wears Prada*. But the story adds up to a great deal more than that, introducing shadings of ambiguity and failure on both sides.

Amy Adams has largely been left out of the discussion, but her character — the young teacher Sister James, an innocent who wants to believe, like Anne Frank, that at heart man is good — may actually be the quiet key to the movie. Like Father Flynn, Sister James wishes for a more inclusive and less forbidding Church. (In about a year — the movie is set in 1964 — they would get their wish.) To what extent is Sister Aloysius aligned against Father Flynn simply because he heralds change? When Sister James furiously accuses Sister Aloysius of persecuting the priest because he uses a ballpoint



pen, it's not as ridiculous as it sounds. Adams has the least flamboyant role and holds it rock-steady.

One subtext of the Father Flynn/Sister Aloysius scenes finds the current queen of American acting coolly taking the measure of its prince. It's fun to view the movie that way, especially when Hoffman's Flynn is summoned to the headmistress' office and sits at her desk, thinking nothing of it — it's the priest's (literal) God-given right in the patriarchy. Hoffman keeps any mannerisms tamped down hard, while Streep lets the left side of her mouth sag, giving her a permanent scowl of disapproval. In this year of superhero movies, these two are Hulk vs. Abomination, Batman vs. the Joker — though we're not sure which is which. They bash each other with insinuations and contemptuous capsule reviews of one another, battling for the soul of the Church, yet neither of them is really right or wrong.

Shanley has constructed a tightly hermetic parable of ideas that go beyond "did he do it/is she off her meds." Beneath it all is that detail of the priest casually taking the nun's seat: it speaks volumes about where the Church is going and how far it still needs to go. The contested boy seems almost an afterthought, a catalyst; even his mother (Viola Davis in a virtuoso cameo) doesn't really care if the priest is interfering with him, as long as *someone* cares about him. *Doubt* deals in certain stereotypes and plays on contemporary prejudices — the sneeringly accusatory old bat, the chummy priest who likes to hang out with boys — in order to haul out that old *Rashomon* saw the unknowability of truth. It's pristinely made, though, with enough subtlety amid the grandstanding to kick this a notch or two above the Oscar-bait actors' playpen you might expect.

• FLAGSHIP CINEMA 12 •

500 Kings Highway, New Bedford, MA.
Movie Hotline: 508-985-3000

Friday, Jan. 16 through Thursday, Jan. 22:
Gran Torino (R) — 1:40, 4:10, 6:55, 9:30
Bride Wars (PG) — 1:50, 3:55, 7:10, 9:20
The Unborn (PG13) — 1:55, 4:25, 7:35, 9:40
Bedtime Stories (PG) — 1:45, 4:05, 7:30, 9:45
Marley and Me (PG) — 1:30, 4:15, 7:15, 9:50
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG13) — 1:00, 4:30, 8:00
Valkyrie (PG13) — 1:15, 3:50, 7:05, 9:35
Doubt (PG13) — 1:10, 3:50, 6:45, 9:10
Yes Man (PG13) — 1:25, 3:45, 7:00, 9:15
Seven Pounds (PG13) — 1:20, 4:00, 7:20, 9:55
The Day the Earth Stood Still (PG13) — 4:20, 10:00
Bolt (PG) — 1:35

Twilight (PG13) — 6:50

The Spirit (PG13) — 7:00, 9:25
The Tale of Despereaux (G) — 1:05, 3:35

• REGAL NICKELODEON 5 •


742 Nathan Ellis Highway, N. Falmouth, MA.
Movie Line: 1-800-326-3264, press 450 #

Friday, Jan. 16 through Thursday, Jan. 22:
Defiance (R) — Fri: 6:30, 9:20; Sat-Mon: 12:15, 3:15, 6:30, 9:20; Tue/Thu: 3:10, 6:30
Doubt (PG13) — Fri: 7:10, 9:30; Sat-Mon: 12:55, 3:55, 7:10, 9:30; Tue/Thu: 3:50, 7:00
Milk (R) — Fri: 6:50, 9:25; Sat-Mon: 12:45, 3:35, 6:50, 9:25; Tue/Thu: 3:40, 6:40
Slumdog Millionaire (R) — Fri: 6:40, 9:15; Sat-Mon: 12:25, 3:45, 6:40, 9:15; Tue/Thu: 3:20, 6:35
The Reader (R) — Fri: 7:00, 9:35; Sat-Mon: 12:35, 3:25, 7:00, 9:35; Tue/Thu: 3:30, 6:50

• FLAGSHIP CINEMA 8 •

39 Doty Street (Route 58), Wareham, MA.
Movie Hotline: 508-291-4100

Friday, Jan. 16 through Thursday, Jan. 22:
Hotel for Dogs (PG) — 1:05, 4:10, 7:05, 9:20
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) — 1:20, 4:15, 7:00, 9:15
My Bloody Valentine (R) — 1:15, 3:50, 7:15, 9:35
Defiance (R) — 1:00, 3:55, 6:45, 9:30
Gran Torino (R) — 1:25, 4:20, 7:10, 9:40
Bride Wars (PG) — 1:30, 4:05, 6:55, 9:25
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG13) — 6:50
Marley and Me (PG) — 1:10, 3:45
Bedtime Stories (PG) — 1:35, 4:00, 7:20
Valkyrie (PG13) — 9:30



SUSAN M.
CAMACHO
D.M.D., M.S.

GENERAL, COSMETIC & LASER DENTISTRY

Dental Cleaning	Implants	Teeth Whitening
Tooth Color Fillings	Veneers	Tooth Prints
Crowns	Dentures	Oral Cancer Screening
Bridges	Partials	Waterlase Laser Dentistry

118 Alden Road | Fairhaven, MA 02719 | (508) 994.2255

If you are unable to locate your third quarter payment coupon, please call the Tax Collector's office for the amount due.

According to Massachusetts General Law, failing to receive a tax bill does not relinquish the requirement to pay the tax bill which will result in penalties, charges and interest for late payment. Please contact the Tax Collector's office at 508-748-3504 or 508-748-3506 with any questions you may have regarding your bill.

Rochester Taxes Due

Rochester real estate and personal property bills were mailed out on December 17, 2008. The first half is due and payable by Friday, January 16, 2009. If you don't have a bill, please contact Tax Collector's office at 508-763-3871, extension 16.

Mattapoisett Land Trust

In an attempt to encourage more people to enjoy the outdoors and the Mattapoisett Land Trust properties, on Sunday afternoon, January 18, the MLT will sponsor a new outdoor activity called "Kubb" at Dunseith Gardens (the Seahorse property) at the corner of North Street and Route 6. Kubb is a game which originated in Scandinavia, some say in Viking times, and consists of two teams trying to knock over wooden blocks by throwing wooden sticks. It can be played in all seasons and by all ages.

The MLT will provide the Kubb sets for use along



AUTO PARTS

Heavy Duty Truck Parts

Liberty Auto Parts

44 Howland Road Fairhaven, Ma 02719 508-992-9710	2 Main Street Acushnet, Ma 02743 508-995-6272
--	---



CARDOZA'S
WINE & SPIRITS



HAPPY NEW YEAR!

STOP BY FOR WEEKLY WINE TASTINGS!
Wine tastings are Friday from 4-6pm
and Saturday 12 noon-6pm at all 3 locations.

NEED HELP MAKING A SELECTION?
Ask one of our Wine Specialists.

FAIRHAVEN MA, 6 SCOTICUT NECK RD. | 508 992-4477
DARTMOUTH MA, 464 STATE ROAD, ROUTE 6 | 508 996 0011
FALL RIVER MA, 435 WILLIAM S. CANNING BLVD | 508 673-6800

RICHARD CARDOZA, PRESIDENT WWW.CARDOZAS.COM | 800 429 WINE



BULLDOG POWER PLAY



Raymond Lawton and Brennan Goguen led the Old Rochester/Fairhaven Hockey Team to a 9-0 win over the Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical High School Bears on the Bears' home ice on Wednesday, January 7. Lawton netted three goals and assisted on another while Goguen scored two goals and assisted on three others as the Bulldogs ran their record 5-3-1 for the 2008-2009 season. Goaltender Tim Kelleher was the winner in goal as he stopped all of the 14 shots that he faced for the shutout.

(Photos by Tim Smith)



These photos and more are available online at www.wanderer.com.

A Sweep In Time

Complete Chimney & Stove Cleaning Service



Gerry Hebert
Certified Sweep #7009
East Freetown MA 02717
508-692-8071

with rules and instructions and will also provide refreshments and a fire to warm participants. Competition will begin at 1:30 pm and will finish before dark. The general public is welcome along with all MLT members. In case of inclement weather (rain or blizzard conditions; snow won't stop play) they will try again on Sunday, January 25. For more information, please contact info@mattland-trust.org or call 508-758-7849.

Rochester Democratic Caucus

Registered Democrats in Rochester will be holding a caucus at the Rochester Town Hall on January 31 at 10:00 am to elect delegates to the 2008 Massachusetts Democratic Convention. Registration will be open at 9:00 am. Delegates will be divided equally between men and women.

Candidates must have been registered in the Town of Rochester by December 31, 2008 in order to be elected as delegates. The caucus is open to all registered Democrats. For more information, please contact Carol St. Don, Chairman, at 508-763-2795.

Mattapoisett American Legion

The monthly membership meeting of the Florence Eastman Post 280 American Legion is held at the Legion Hall, 3 Depot Street on the third Wednesday of each month. All members are encouraged to attend. Your input and ideas are needed.

EDWIN L. PERKINS Co., Inc. PLUMBING & HEATING

Reg. # 8967

508-758-3568

- Serving the Greater Mattapoisett Area Since 1935
- Licensed Men

21 North Street, Mattapoisett

www.wanderer.com

OVERWHELMED?



We'll wash, dry & fold your clothes so you don't have to. Do laundry the smart way—outsource.



**MATTAPOISETT
LAUNDRY MAT™**

82 County Rd (Rte 6) Mattapoisett
508.758.6711 7am-10pm Everyday

EURO at Phoenix Hall

24 Center Street, Corner of Main Street, Fairhaven
508-992-1714 email: eurshp@aol.com
www.fairhavenvillage.com



All
Winter
Clothing
25% OFF!

Hours: Mon.-Sat.. 9:30-5:30

January 15, 2009

The Wanderer

51

LOCAL CABLE PROGRAMMING



PUBLIC ACCESS

**Comcast Channel 9
Verizon Channel 36**

Sunday Jan. 18, 2009

7:00 AM – Second Coming Church
8:00 AM – The New Testament Church of Cedarville
9:00 AM – Music and the Spoken Word
9:30 AM – First Congregational Church of Rochester
11:00 AM – Physician's Focus
11:30 AM – White House Chronicles
12:00 PM – The Jeff Perry Report
1:00 PM – The Dr. Is In
2:00 PM – Music and the Spoken Word
2:30 PM – First Congregational Church of Rochester
4:00 PM – The New Testament Church of Cedarville
6:00 PM – Rochester COA Monthly
8:00 PM – Tri-Town Business Association
12:00 AM – Midnight Movie

Monday Jan. 19, 2009

11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM – Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Local Interest Programs
5:30 PM – White House Chronicle
6:00 PM – Tri-Town Topics (Repeat – Not Live)
6:30 PM – Attentive Home Health Care

8:00 PM – Army News Watch
8:30 PM – Physician's Focus
9:00 PM – The Dr. Is In
10:00 PM – Creatively Speaking
10:30 PM – Life Matters
Midnight – Midnight Movie

Tuesday Jan. 20, 2009

11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
Noon – Midday Movie
1:30 PM – The Wanderer Presents
2:00 PM – Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Local Interest Programs
5:00 PM – Rochester COA Monthly
7:00 PM – HomeFront
7:30 PM – Sharing Miracles
8:00 PM – Sippican Historical Society – The Stone Estate
9:30 PM – Wood, Wind and Water
Midnight – Midnight Movie

Wednesday Jan. 21, 2009

11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM – Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Local Interest Programs
3:30 PM – Tri-Town Holiday Greetings
5:30 PM – Ampersand
6:30 PM – Attentive Home Health Care
8:00 PM – Physician's Focus
9:00 PM – Ampersand
10:00 PM – Fox Robbins Business Show
10:30 PM – Life Matters
Midnight – Midnight Movie

Thursday Jan. 22, 2009

11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM – Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Local Interest Programs
7:00 PM – Tri-Town Topics – (Repeat, not live)
7:30 PM – Get Connected With Conn Jackson
8:00 PM – Cooking With Marie
8:30 PM – The Rock Star Stories
9:00 PM – Penny Dreadful's Schilling Shockers
11:30 PM – Get Connected With Conn Jackson
Midnight – Penny Dreadful's Schilling Shockers

Friday Jan. 23, 2009

11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM – Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Local Interest Programs
7:00 PM – Fox Robbins Business Show
8:00 PM – Homefront
9:30 PM – Around BCC
11:00 PM – Ampersand
Midnight – Midnight Movie Double Feature

Saturday Jan. 24, 2009

8:00 AM – Classic Christmas Cartoon Festival
Noon – Don Cuddy: Neighbor to Neighbor
1:00 PM – U-Mass Dartmouth Sports

8:00 PM – Cooking With Marie
8:30 PM – The Rock Star Stories
9:00 PM – Penny Dreadful's Schilling Shockers
11:30 PM – Get Connected With Conn Jackson
Midnight – Penny Dreadful's Schilling Shockers

MARION GOVERNMENT

**Comcast Channel 95
Verizon Channel 39**

Daily Schedule:

11:00 AM – Latest Planning Board Meeting
1:00 PM – Marion CPC Hearing
2:00 PM – Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
5:30 PM – Marion CPC Hearing
6:30 PM – Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
9:00 PM – Latest Planning Board Meeting

ROCHESTER GOVERNMENT

**Comcast Channel 95
Verizon Channel 40**

Daily Schedule:

1:00 PM – Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
3:30 PM – Latest Planning Board Meeting
6:30 PM – Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
8:30 PM – Latest Planning Board Meeting

EDUCATION CHANNEL

**Comcast Channel 18
Verizon Channel 37**

Daily Schedule:

9:00 AM – ORRJHS – Yoga with Nancy Juvinall
10:00 AM – Center School Holiday Play
10:30 AM – RMS all School Meeting
11:00 AM – RMS Holiday Concert 2008
Noon – Bulldog TV
1:30 PM – ORRJHS Gravy Bowl
2:15 PM – John & Abigail Adams Scholarship Recipients
2:30 PM – ORRJHS Holiday Concert 2008
3:30 PM – ORRHs Holiday Concert 2008
4:30 PM – Old Hammondtown School Holiday Concert 2008
5:30 PM – RMS Holiday Concert 2008
6:30 PM – Bulldog TV
7:00 PM – Center School Holiday Play
7:30 PM – Inside the ORR
8:15 PM – ORRHs Fall 2008 Class Projects
8:30 PM – OHS 2008 Student Faculty Basketball Game
9:35 PM – ORR Volleyball 2008 Season



THE NEXT SHOW WILL AIR *LIVE* ON
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2009
AT 7:00 PM, featuring a panel TBA

We'd like to thank our most recent guests, Mattapoisett Town Administrator Michael Botelho, Marion Town Administrator Paul Dawson, and Rochester Town Administrator Richard LaCamera for joining us on January 8!

Tri-Town Topics is an informational talk show to be presented on public access channels 9 (Comcast) and 36 (Verizon) in the towns of Mattapoisett, Marion and Rochester, Massachusetts. A joint venture between *The Wanderer* weekly newspaper and Old Rochester Community Television, Inc. (ORCTV), *Tri-Town Topics* is designed to bring timely and poignant issues to the residents of the three towns. Every episode will include a panel of three guests — one from each town — who will answer both live call-in questions and those that have been submitted in writing.

Questions for the panelists can be submitted in one of three ways ...

- Online at www.tritowntopics.com;
- Mailed to: **Tri-Town Topics, The Wanderer, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739**; or
- Called in "live" between 7:00 and 7:30 PM on **Thursday, February 5** at **508-748-1600**.

This month's meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 21 at 7:00 pm. Prior to the monthly meeting they will have the Annual Corporate Meeting, during which Donald Fleming will discuss the club status as a 501(C)3 corporation and introduce a new set of bylaws which will require a vote of acceptance by all the members present. At that time the club will be prepared to submit the information to the IRS.

When the annual meeting is adjourned the club will call to order the monthly meeting and discuss Clam Bake plans for next summer as well as other fund-raising efforts. They will also examine options for transporting the ROTC students to the Memorial Day Parade.

For more information or hall rental, please call 508-758-9311.

Digital TV Conversion

Coastline Elderly Services, Inc. was awarded a grant from the National Association of Area Agencies on Aging and the National Telecommunications and Information Administration to conduct a community-wide campaign to educate older consumers and their caregivers about how to successfully transition to Digital TV.

Coastline will offer one-on-one assistance to individual older persons, including an in-home assessment to determine the need for a converter box, assistance in applying for a converter box coupon, assistance in obtaining a converter box from a retailer, and/or assistance in



Glaser by Name...Glazier by Trade
Quality and Service Since 1921

COMPLETE GLASS SERVICE

- Auto Glass
- Glass Tabletops
- Insulated Units
- Screens & Sashes Repaired
- Plastic/Lexan (scratch resistant)
- Mirrors: Polished, Beveled, Framed
- Specialty Glass for Kitchen Cabinet Doors
- Glass for Frames
- Custom Stationary Storm and Screen Frames
- Frameless Shower Door Glass & Hardware

1-800-942-6444

2 Convenient Locations:

1265 Purchase Street

New Bedford, MA 02740

508-999-6497

910 Pleasant Street

Fall River, MA 02720

508-676-1464

www.glaserglass.com

GUARD OIL

Burner Service Available

508•992•3030

508•758•2OIL (2645) 508•748•1OIL (1645)

HOME HEATING OIL

TRI-TOWN POLICE LOGS



MARION

Log highlights Jan. 4 - Jan. 10, 2009:

- Silvershell Beach – suspicious motor vehicle
- Bayview Road – family disturbance/adult arrest (assault and battery/domestic)
- Spring Street – fire alarm
- Dinah's Way – assist other police department
- Washburn Park Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Spring Street – assist other police department
- Spring Street – larceny/past
- Front Street – vandalism/past
- Wareham Road – family disturbance
- Wareham Road – motor vehicle accident/personal injury/adult arrest (operating under the influence of liquor, negligent operation of motor vehicle)
- Olde Knoll Road – larceny/past
- Joanne Drive – animal complaint
- Route 195 East – motor vehicle accident/personal injury
- Spring Street – fraud
- Wareham Road – vandalism/past
- South Street – larceny/past
- Dexter Road – adult arrest (warrant)
- Front Street – adult arrest (unlicensed operation of motor vehicle).

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights Jan. 4 - Jan. 10, 2009:

- Fairhaven Road – civil complaint
- Acushnet Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Route 195 East – intoxicated party
- North Street – gunshots reported
- Fairhaven Road – officer wanted
- County Road – civil complaint
- North Street – property found
- Brant Beach Avenue – suspicious motor vehicle
- County Road – suspicious persons
- Oliver's Lane – stolen property
- Park Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Brandt Island Road – burglary/breaking and entering into motor vehicle
- Island Street – breaking and entering into structure
- Acushnet Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Holmes Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- North Street – motor vehicle accident
- Silver Shell Avenue – suspicious persons
- Mattapoisett Neck Road – breaking and entering into motor vehicle
- Wildwood Terrace – civil complaint
- North Street – vandalism
- Mattapoisett Neck Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Route 195 West – motor vehicle accident
- Marion Road – gunshots reported.

ROCHESTER

Log highlights Jan. 5 - Jan. 13, 2009:

- Constitution Way – suspicious motor vehicle
- Walnut Plain Road – motor vehicle accident
- Rounseville Road – motor vehicle accident
- Walnut Plain Road – animal complaint
- Neck Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Walnut Plain Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Old Schoolhouse Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Walnut Plain Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Vaughan Hill Road – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- Thistle Lane – suspicious person
- Lady Slipper Trail – suspicious motor vehicle
- Mary's Pond Road – motor vehicle accident
- Braley Hill Road – motor vehicle accident
- County Road – civil complaint
- Sprague Court – disturbance/adult arrest (assault and battery, attempt to commit a crime)
- Snipatuit Road – annoying phone calls
- Walnut Plain Road – vandalism.



LOCAL LUNCH MENUS

COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday, January 19: MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY (no meals served).

Tuesday, January 20: Minestrone soup, savory baked chicken, au gratin potatoes, multigrain roll, apple.

Wednesday, January 21: American chop suey, Italian blend vegetables, scallion roll, vanilla pudding, sugar-free pudding.

Thursday, January 22: Hot turkey sandwich on whole wheat bread, gravy, whipped potatoes, cranberry sauce, green beans and red peppers, fig bar.

Friday, January 23: BBQ pork ribette, O'Brien potatoes, chuck wagon blend

vegetables, dinner roll, pineapple in light syrup.

MATTAPOISETT ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Monday, January 19: MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY (no school).

Tuesday, January 20: Mozzarella sticks, dipping sauce, vegetable, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, January 21: Meatball sub, vegetable, fruit, milk.

Thursday, January 22: Chicken rice soup, grilled cheese, fruit, milk.

Friday, January 23: Pizza, vegetable, fruit, milk.

OLD COLONY REGIONAL VOKE HIGH SCHOOL

Monday, January 19: MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY (no school).

Tuesday, January 20: American chop suey, bread, green beans, pears, pudding.

Wednesday, January 21: Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, carrots, mixed

fruit.

Thursday, January 22: Nachos with taco meat, lettuce, tomato, salsa, corn, peaches.

Friday, January 23: Pizza, salad, chips, applesauce.

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

Monday, January 19: MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY (no school).

Tuesday, January 20: Hamburger with/without cheese on a bun, chips, vegetable, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, January 21: Spaghetti with/without meat sauce, vegetable, roll, fruit, milk.

Thursday, January 22: Teriyaki chicken wraps, French fries, vegetable, fruit, milk.

Friday, January 23: Pizza, vegetable, fruit, milk.

ROCHESTER MEMORIAL SCHOOL

Monday, January 19: MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY (no school).

Tuesday, January 20: Meatball sub, vegetable, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, January 21: Chef Boy-ar-dee ravioli, vegetable, fruit, milk.

Thursday, January 22: Chicken rice soup, grilled cheese, fruit, milk.

Friday, January 23: Pizza, vegetable, fruit, milk.

SIPPICAN SCHOOL, MARION

Monday, January 19: MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY (no school).

Tuesday, January 20: Mozzarella sticks, dipping sauce, vegetable, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, January 21: Meatball sub, vegetable, fruit, milk.

Thursday, January 22: Chicken rice soup, grilled cheese, fruit, milk.

Friday, January 23: Pizza, vegetable, fruit, milk.

"YOU KNOW YOU ALWAYS WANTED TO..."

~Guitar Lessons~

- ~beginner and intermediate, all ages
- ~most professional, least expensive
- ~25 years teaching
- ~folk, classical, soft rock, celtic, and country
- ~centrally located
- ~first lesson free

Paul Carter 508-951-8934 **MAKES A GREAT CHRISTMAS GIFT!**



installing the converter box.

To sign up for a volunteer visit or for further information, please contact Ann McCrillis at 508-999-6400, extension 160.

Marion Town Clerk

The Marion Annual Street Listing 2009 (census) forms are being mailed out this month. Please complete the forms as soon as possible and drop them off at the Town House, 2 Spring Street or mail them back in the enclosed envelope.

These census forms are very important for the town as state aid is based on the numbers returned. The Annual Street List is compiled from this information. No children under the age of 16 are placed in the street list however, it is very important that children be noted on the census form for school and state purposes, but again, no children under the age of 16 are placed in the street list.

2009 Dog Licenses are also now available at the Town Clerk's office. Please stop by or use the application which will be with the Annual Street List form making sure to read the instructions carefully as incomplete applications will be returned. People over 70 years of age do not have to pay the dog license fee but are still responsible for showing current rabies information.

Please call the Town Clerk's office at 508-748-3502 with any questions you may have.

THE YOGA STUDIO
BREATHE - RELAX - FEEL

Give yourself the gift of Yoga.
Good health,
Inner peace and
Radiant wellbeing in 2009!
It is not too late.
Our winter sessions are starting in January.

8 County Road Mattapoisett MA 508-330-0989
www.tri-townyoga.com

The Bedford Merchant

25% OFF
Yankee Candle
Scent of the Month
Scent of
Your Choice

50% OFF
All Christmas
Items

(Excluding Byers' Choice
& Demdaco)

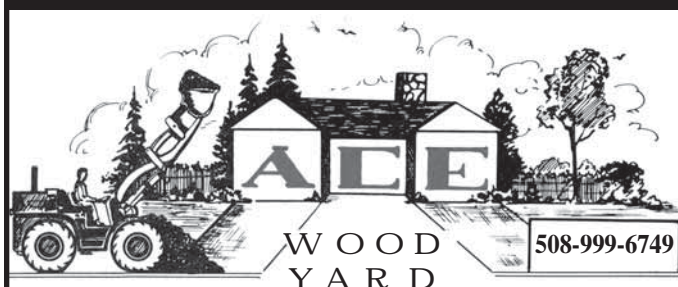


*We now accept Yankee
Candle coupons*

Monday-Saturday 9-5
Visa & MasterCard Accepted

28 William Street, New Bedford, MA • 997-9194
In the heart of New Bedford's Historic District

FIREWOOD



Seasoned Firewood - Ready to Burn

Host a Home
Party

Receive 20% of
Total Sales in
Free Jewelry

The Salty Starfish

Unique Quality Jewelry Designs

Jennifer Rodrigues 15 Oliver St.
508-999-1811 * 508-962-5251 Fairhaven, MA 02719

Super Crossword

SWEET
GNAW-THINGS

ACROSS

- 1 Pugilistic poke
4 Silenced a squeak
9 Fuel source
13 "Turandot" tenor
18 Heady quaff
19 Savanna sight
20 Lhasa —
21 Arbus apparatus
22 Rodent's favorite Monkees tune?
24 Lost in thought
25 Nuclear
26 Brimming
27 Join up
29 Take into account
31 Hook's mate
32 — reaction
34 Diva
36 Moon crawler
38 Relative of -ator
39 Rodent cheese-cake?
45 Laundry problem
47 Frigga's fellow
48 Young boxers
49 Relished a roast

- 51 "Taras Bulba" author
54 Emulate Pinocchio
55 Brandy cocktail
58 Protect with plastic
61 Resident
64 "Yours, Mine and —" (68 film)
65 Keatsian creation
66 Redact
67 "The Bartered Bride" composer
70 Serenade accompaniment
72 TV's "South —"
74 Road curve
75 Rodent's educational level?
79 Dit's cousin
82 Read quickly
83 Actress
84 Peepers protectors
88 Oomph
90 Tokyo, once
91 Like some cellars
93 It may suit you
94 Closet fresher
96 Calculator features

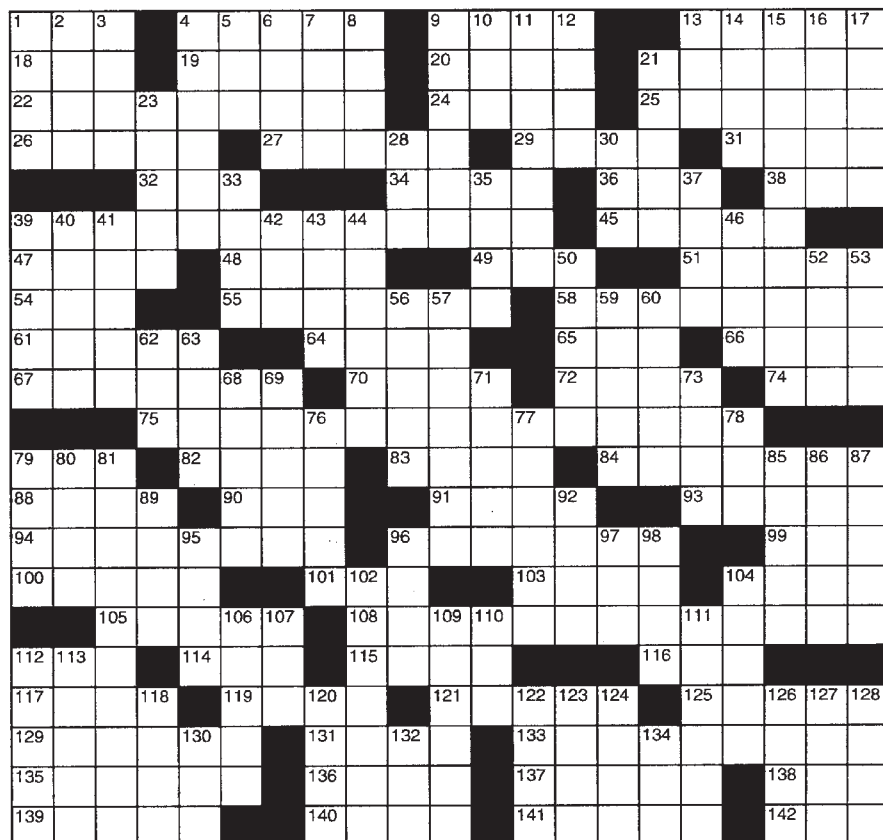
- 99 Winter hazard
100 Trattoria treat
101 TV chef
103 "— Shuffle" ('77 song)
104 Seaweed product
105 Bobby's flashlight
108 Rodent's Olympic motto?
112 Broad st.
114 "Gotcha!"
115 Article
116 "— Night" ('58 hit)
117 Apt rhyme for squirm
119 "L—, c'est moi!"
121 Matches
125 Inception
129 Cartoonist Charles
131 Writer Charles
133 Fictional rodent?
135 Rink rental
136 List ender
137 "Peer Gynt" composer
138 Psychic Geller
139 Veronica of "Hill Street Blues"
140 Surrender
141 Big revolver?
142 Sticky stuff

DOWN

- 1 Secure spot
2 — mater
3 Rosary part
4 Speak freely
5 Roth —
6 Exist
7 Temptation location
8 Earl —
9 Biggers
9 Living room
10 Antipollution grp.
11 "The — Jungle" ('50 film)
12 Carry
13 Purrfect pet?
14 Grandpa McCoy
15 Rodent refreshment?
16 Pisces follower
17 Sapphire side
21 Future officer
23 "We've Only Just —" ('70 hit)
28 Hockey legend
30 Urban transport
33 Sugar amts.
35 Barbecue
37 Christmas visitors
39 Voting venue
40 Turn of phrase

- 41 Sib's kid
42 On the — vive (alert)
43 Summer coif
44 Tristan's tootsie
46 Actress Skye
50 Take the honey and run
52 Strawberry town drunk
53 "Why don't we?"
56 Sadistic
57 In the saddle
59 Saying
60 Cheerful
62 Bk. convenience
63 Neighbor of Thailand
68 Used the microwave
69 Digression
71 Prose piece
73 Boat bottom
76 Atlanta campus
77 Indentation
78 Mintz or Whitney
79 Johnny of "Chocolat"
80 Soap additive
81 City of rodents?
85 Architect Jones
86 Window dressing?

- 87 McCarthy's trunkmate
89 West.
92 Alliance
95 Asta's mistress
96 Snarl
97 Banned pesticide
98 London district
102 Shake up
104 Actor's actor?
106 Spassky's game
107 Pillbox, e.g.
109 Bit of a beach
110 Medical grp.
111 TV's "Eight Is —"
112 About to sink
113 Screwdriver ingredient
118 Spouse
120 Composer Wilder
122 Prod
123 Binky's "— Road"
124 Tend the sauce
126 Wallop
127 Architect Saarinen
128 Small combo
130 Gibson or Tillis
132 Unbalanced
134 Wager



© 2009 King Features Syndicate, Inc. World rights reserved.

SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Romantic aspects are high at this time for single Lambs looking for love. Warm and fuzzy feelings are also at enhanced levels for Rams and Ewes in paired relationships.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) This week favors what Taureans dote on -- namely, love and money. Look for more meaningful relationships for both singles and pairs, as well as an improved financial outlook.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) All lingering shreds of that recent bout with boredom are dissipated as you eagerly accept a challenging offer. Your positive mood persuades others to join you in this venture.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You might need validation for a possible solution to a situation involving someone close to you. Consider asking a trusted friend or relative to help you with this problem.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Investigate carefully before agreeing to assist a friend or colleague with a personal problem. There might be hidden factors that could emerge later that will create problems for you.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Your decision to work with an associate rather than go it alone, as you first proposed, brings an unexpected bonus. Be careful not to be judgmental. Allow for free and open discussion.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A loved one's health problem could, once again, make demands on your time and attention. But this time, make some demands of your own, and insist that others pitch in and help.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) This is a good time for the traditionally staid Scorpion to plan adjustments in your day-to-day schedules. Be more flexible and allow for more impromptu, off-the-cuff actions.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Avoid creating unnecessary fuss over a situation you don't approve of. If it's going to work, it will do so despite your objections. If it fails, it will do so without a push from you.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Working with a trusted colleague could open your mind to exploring some considerations you previously dismissed out of hand. The weekend brings news from a loved one.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Resolving a recent problem leaves you in a good position to strengthen your influence on how things get done. But continue to encourage ideas and suggestions from others.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A new friend suggests an interesting opportunity. But check it out before you snap at it. It might be a good deal for some people, but it might not work in helping you reach your goals.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a way of helping people solve their problems, making you a most-respected counselor and trusted friend.

(c)2009 King Features Synd., Inc.

LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR BENEFITS

- After Care Planner
- Dignity® Funeral & Cremation Plans
- Bereavement Travel Program

- 24-Hour Compassion Helpline®
- National Transferability of Prearranged Services



FAIRLAWN HOME OF MEMORIAL TRIBUTE

180 WASHINGTON STREET • FAIRHAVEN, MA 02719 • 508-999-5100



Affiliated Family Funeral & Cremation Services

FAIRLAWN • BROOKLAWN • DARTMOUTH • CHAUSSE-DUMONT

A Service Family Affiliate of AFFS/Service Corp. Int'l., 492 Rock St., Fall River, MA 02720 (508) 676-2454

South Coast Chamber Concerts

South Coast Chamber Music's January program promises to brighten the darkest of winter days with a beautiful concert of French music featuring acclaimed pianist Janice Weber. Presented at St. Gabriel's Church in Marion at 5:00 pm on Saturday, January 17 and at Grace Episcopal Church in New Bedford at 3:00 pm on Sunday, January 18, the program combines the loveliest of classical compositions and the highest level of musicianship.

In addition to two pieces by Frederic Chopin, the *Trio for Piano, Violin, and Cello in G minor, Op. 8* and his *Sonata in B minor for Piano*, the concert also includes Claude Debussy's *Sonata for Cello & Piano in D minor*, and Jacques Widerkehr's *Sonate No. 1 in E minor for oboe & piano*.

It's difficult to imagine a more pleasing combination of instruments or a more gratifying concert of piano music, one that SCCMS Co-Artistic Director Donna Marie Cobert calls "A remarkable French program."

Chopin, whose affinity for the piano was clear even in his early childhood, is represented in the January concerts by compositions that illustrate what critics throughout the years have called his astonishing delicacy and expressiveness. An innovator in the 19th century, Chopin today is loved for the pure poetic pleasure audiences derive, and for the sense that his melodies seem personal and heart-felt.

Debussy's *Sonata*, a richly-nuanced dialog between piano and cello, invites the most rewarding of

Heating Oil

508-758-4410

Tri-Town Fuel Service

We can save you money



LEGAL NOTICES	LEGAL NOTICES	
<p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF ROCHESTER POLICE DEPARTMENT The Town of Rochester Police Department will be conducting Alcohol Compliance Checks throughout the year of all establishments holding liquor licenses. Paul H. Magee, Chief of Police 01/08, 01/15</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICETOWN OF ROCHESTER- BOARD OF APPEALS #974 Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of Michael Baldwin, 33 Gerrish Road, who is seeking a special permit under section VIII.,D.9.a. to allow conversion of a single-family to a multi-family dwelling. The hearing will be on January 22, 2009 at 7:30 PM in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall, 1 Constitution Way. Richard J. Manning, Jr., Chairman 01/08, 01/15</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICETOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday January 26, 2009 at 7:00 PM in the Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by Dennis Mahoney and Sons, Inc., PO Box 417, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. The proposed project is to construct a single family home with well, septic, drive and utilities. The project is located at Brandt Island Road and is further identified as Lot 18 on Assessor Map 11. Conservation Commission 01/15</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICETOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday January 26, 2009 at 7:00 PM in the Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by Robert T. and Karen C. Keenan, 7 Edmunds Road, Wellesley, MA 02581. The proposed project is to construct new deck and addition to existing residence located within buffer zone of coastal bank and within 100 year floodplain. The project is located at 63 Mattapoisett Neck Road and is further identified as Lot 12 on Assessor Map 12. Conservation Commission 01/15</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a CONTINUED public hearing on Wednesday, January 21, 2009 at 7:30 PM in the Town House main conference room on a Notice of Intent submitted by THE SARDINHA FAMILY TRUST to demolish the existing restaurant building at 450 Wareham Street, and construct two buildings (a restaurant and an office/retail) with associated parking, landscaping, grading and drainage improvements, in its place. The site is further identified as Lot 49 on Marion Assessors' Map 13. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Norman A. Hills, Chairman 01/15</p> <hr/>	<p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, January 21, 2009 at 7:00 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Request for a Determination of Applicability #41D 1368 submitted by RICHARD DIX to install a drywell for roof runoff at 9 River Road, further identified as Lot 21A on Marion Assessors' Plan 9. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Norman A. Hills, Chairman 01/15</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, January 21, 2009 at 7:20 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Request for a Determination of Applicability #41D 1369 submitted by JON ZELL to install a dry well at 283 Wareham Street, further identified as Lot 78A on Marion Assessors' Plan 11. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Norman A. Hills, Chairman 01/15</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICETOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday January 26, 2009 at 7:00 PM in the Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by Richard L. and Janet L. Wells, 8 Davenport Drive, Mendon, MA 01756.. The proposed project is to construct an addition to existing house located within buffer zone of wetlands, within riverfront area and within 100-year floodplain. The project is located at 10 Woodland Avenue and is further identified as Lot 73 on Assessors' Map 6. Conservation Commission 01/15</p> <hr/> <p>Trivia Test Answers 1. Goat or horse 2. A heavily armored battleship 3. Thomas Jefferson 4. Fear of marriage 5. Within 6. Alaska 7. Jones or Jonesy 8. Charlie McCarthy 9. Macedon, or Macedonia 10. Aerosmith</p> <p>(c) 2009 King Features Synd., Inc.</p>	<p>TRIVIA TEST By Fifi Rodriguez</p> <p>1. MYTHOLOGY: A satyr is a mythical creature that is half man and half what?</p> <p>2. MILITARY: What is a dread-nought?</p> <p>3. FAMOUS QUOTATIONS: Who said, "That government is best which governs the least, because its people discipline themselves."</p> <p>4. PSYCHOLOGY: What fear is represented by the condition called gamophobia?</p> <p>5. LANGUAGE: What does the Greek prefix "intro" mean?</p> <p>6. GEOGRAPHY: Where is the Denali National Park and Preserve?</p> <p>7. MOVIES: What is the name of Sigourney Weaver's cat in the "Alien" movie series?</p> <p>8. ENTERTAINERS: What was the name of ventriloquist Edgar Bergen's most famous puppet?</p> <p>9. HISTORY: What land did Alexander the Great rule as king?</p> <p>10. MUSIC: Which rock group recorded the hit "Walk This Way"?</p>

meditative states. As the two instruments play off one another and then join in wonderfully contemplative moments, the audience will be embraced by the best that chamber music has to offer. In the music of Jacques Widerkehr, audiences will hear what a perfect fit oboe and piano can be. Widerkehr's sonata, which reminds some of the late Mozart, is a graceful complement to the more familiar pieces by Chopin and Debussy.

South Coast Chamber Music Society members Donna Marie Cobert (oboe), Tim Roberts (cello), and Piotr Buczek (violin) are especially delighted to join Janice Weber on the winter program. Ms. Weber (who is also a well-known novelist) is a summa cum laude graduate of the Eastman School of Music and is on the piano faculty at the Boston Conservatory and Brandeis University. She has performed at the White House, Carnegie Hall, Washington's National Gallery of Art, and Boston's Symphony Hall, and has been praised by music reviewers at the New York Times, the Washington Post, and from San Francisco to Ottawa. South coast audiences now have the opportunity to hear her play in a program of chamber music that focuses on the piano and demonstrates how splendidly the right combination of period instruments, engaging compositions, and talented performers can create the uniquely pleasurable sounds of chamber music.

As always, each concert will be introduced by a lecture that begins at 4:30 pm in Marion, and at 2:30 pm in New Bedford. Tickets may be purchased for \$18 at The Bookstall on Front Street in Marion, at the Symphony Music Shop on Route 6 in Dartmouth, ordered through our website at www.southcoastchambermusic.org, or at the door on the day of the concert. Persons aged 16 and under are encouraged and admitted free of charge. Both concert venues are wheelchair accessible. For more information on SCCMS programs, ticket purchases, and directions please visit our website, www.southcoastchambermusic.org or call 508-295-2968.

These concerts are sponsored in part by the Marion and New Bedford Cultural Councils, local agencies which are supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency.

Roy's Glass

& Aluminum Service

2 Aucoot Road,
Mattapoisett, MA

758-2174

Office & Evenings

758-2589 Evenings

Roy R. Andrews

Carl A. Andrews

30 Years of Service

- Vinyl Replacement Windows
- Patio Doors
- Aluminum Windows & Doors
- Screens Made & Repaired
- Mirrors
- Tub Enclosures & Shower Doors

Glass for:

- Heavy Equipment
- Autos & Trucks
- Plate & Window
- Safety
- Boats
- Plexi & Lexan

- Direct Insurance Billing •



*We invite you to shop at our 150 Dealer
Showroom in historic New Bedford, MA*

FEATURING:

The New Bedford Museum of Glass

•Antiques •Art •Furniture •Coins •Collectibles
•Vintage Clothing

Sun. 12-5, Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri, Sat: 10-6 (Closed Wed.)

*New Bedford Antiques Center, LLC
85 Coggeshall St., New Bedford, MA 02746
508-991-8700*

*LOCATED: OFF I-195, Exit 16E or 17W
Only 1 hour South of Boston - Only 1/2 hour East of Providence*

*Inside New Bedford Antiques Center
At the rear of the Furniture Gallery*

JUMBLE & CLUTTER

Vintage • Classic • Retro

HOME GOODS
CLOTHING & ACCESSORIES
BEAUTIFUL GIFTS

Itty Bitty

Organic • Vintage • Reclaimed

BABY & CHILDREN'S GOODS

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

SSAT/SAT English Tutor

Ma-certified H.S. English Teacher with a Master of Arts degree now teaching college composition classes and freelance writing.
Some time slots avail. to work with your child on study, reading, and writing skills.
One-on-one guidance makes a difference.
Call Terri Lerman @ 508-748-9677

Storage for everyone at
HIGH STREET MINI STORAGE
Sizes 5' x 10' to 10' x 30'

ASK ABOUT OUR FREE MONTH PLAN Call
508-763-8990

SUMMER RENTAL-CRESCENT BEACH

3 bdrm, 1 bath, sunny, beautiful, spacious, w/d, microwave, full kitchen, steps to beach. Avail Aug 16-Sep 5. No pets, no smoking. 781-934-9080

Sunday River South Ridge Townhouse. 2bd rm 2 ba, sleeps 6. Ski in-out 17ft fr trail. Gorgeous view from all 3 floors. Fully equipped kitchen, gas fireplace. WI, 3 tvs, deck. \$325/wknd day & holiday; \$225/wk day. Bruce 508-763-4581 b.link1@verizon.net

The Moose Store

www.themoosestore.com

Where you'll find **All Things Moose and More!**

Therapeutic Massage

Will travel. Exp student of Kria Massage. Relaxing and Energizing Reasonable Rates. 508-992-4358

Two Men and a Dump Truck available for cleaning out yards, houses, barns, attics. Transfer station runs, etc. RAKING OF LEAVES
Call (508) 992-4021. Insured.

WANTED: C.N.A. LOOKING FOR 2 BEDROOM APT/COTTAGE FOR RENT IN TRI-TOWN AREA. REASONABLE RENT IN EXCHANGE FOR HOMECARE, ERRANDS, YARD CARE, DOCTOR APTS, SHOPPING ETC. EXCELLENT REFERENCES. NO PETS NO SMOKER. PLEASE CALL LAURIE 508-858-7359

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Water Street Realtors
www.waterstreetrealtors.com
508-758-9731

Winter rental avail until 6/22-2 br village location
Year-round-small one bedroom house, furnished
Summer rentals are booking,
call now for your week by the sea.

WEST PALM BEACH. TOWNHOUSE FOR RENT

2 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, enclosed patio, on a Canal, washer and dryer in Townhouse. 7 tennis courts, swimming pool, Basketball court, and 4 Racquetball courts. Only 14 minutes to the ocean. Available by the month or weekly intervals (if available) Booking March thru September. Call 508-997-8644.

Wholesome family looking for child care?
Exp Nanny, 8 yrs w/one family. Honest, kind & reliable. Great driving record. Great w/infants & toddlers, older child welcome. Full time needed. Includes light housekeeping. Call 508-992-4358

Xmas English Bulldog Puppies for sale. \$400 each
contact: verasokolow@yahoo.com for more.

Year-Round Rental!

Cozy 2 bedroom, 1 bath Cottage in Mattapoisett beach community. Available immediately for \$900 per month. Call 508.748.0200.

You Load It We Dump It or We Load for Extra Fee
YOU SAVE MONEY
6 cu. yd container \$95 plus dump fee
For details call 508-748-1391

YOUR HOUSEKEEPER

Residential, Cottage, and Office Cleaning
Bonded and Insured
508-207-6362 or 508-994-2711

Place Your Classifieds
24 hours a day
7 days a week
on-line at
www.wanderer.com

SPORTS QUIZ

By Chris Richcreek

1. When was the last time a major-league team had players lead the league in the following four categories in the same season: doubles, triples, home runs, hits?
2. How many times during his career did Hall of Famer Rich "Goose" Gosage throw 100-plus relief innings in a season?
3. In the 1989 NFL Draft, Green Bay selected Tony Mandarich with the second overall pick. Name two of the other top-five draft picks.

1. The 1964 Minnesota Twins - Tony Oliva led in hits and doubles, Rich Rollins and Zoilo Versalles tied for the lead in triples, and Harmon Killebrew topped the AL in home runs.
2. Four times.
3. Troy Aikman (Dallas, No. 1), Barry Sanders (Detroit, No. 3), Derrick Thomas (Kansas City, No. 4) and Deion Sanders (Atlanta, No. 5).

Just Like Cats & Dogs by Dave T. Phipps



Amber Waves



by Dave T. Phipps

•SALES •RENTALS
•LESSONS •REPAIRS

- A complete selection of band instruments & accessories.
- Affordable rental programs
- Top quality repairs

THE
Symphony
MUSIC SHOP



Since 1962

508 996-3301



94 State Rd. (Rte. 6), North Dartmouth

**40 years of
Bringing Families
to Music**

Hours: Monday, Wednesday,
Friday: 9-6, Tuesday, Thursday 10-8,
Saturday 9-4
www.symphonymusicshop.com

Van Driver Needed

The Mattapoisett Council on Aging (COA) is seeking a driver to work weekdays starting at 5:30 am for approximately 20 hours per week with less hours over school vacations. Some opportunity for additional hours, if desired. Please contact Vanessa M.F. Williams with questions 508-758-4110 or send resume to the Mattapoisett COA, P.O. Box 528, Mattapoisett MA 02739.

Rochester Police Exam

The Rochester Police Department in conjunction with Law Enforcement Dimensions has scheduled an Entrance Exam for the Rochester Police Department on January 24, 2009.

The Rochester Police Department employs 10 full-time officers and five part-time officers serving a population of approximately 5,400 residents. The department will be holding an entrance exam to fill both full- and part-time openings expected in the coming months.

Because of the small size of the department, officers handle many of their own cases from start to finish. This allows officers the opportunity to participate in investigations, write and serve warrants, and make arrests as a result of their own work.

Rochester police officers also have the opportunity to participate on a number of the departments specialized units such as bike patrol and ATV patrol as well as being able to join specialized units such as the dive team,

HEATH



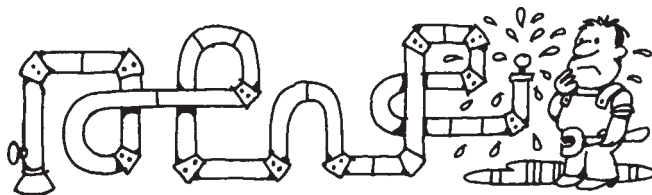
GARDE
Plumbing & Heating

Residential & Commercial

508-758-2455

Repairs • Remodels • New Construction
*It's time to upgrade your old heating
system to save money this winter*

45 years experience



Master Plumber #9794 - Licensed Men

Family Flooring Center

162 Huttleston Ave, Route 6
Fairhaven, MA 02719



The Flooring Professionals

Carpet ~ Tile ~ Linoleum ~ Ceramic ~ Hardwood ~ Laminate

\$250.00

\$250.00 Coupon towards any flooring and installation projects

Visit our website www.familyflooringcenter.com

Save \$250.00 on the Highest Quality Brands when you purchase products and the installation. Some restrictions apply. Coupon must be presented at time of order. Offer valid on all projects that total a minimum of \$2500.00 also offering \$100 off a project of \$1000.00

www.familyflooringcenter.com

Tel: 508-991-6511

Fax: 508-991-6512

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Mattapoisett Village - Non-smoking 2 bdrm, 2nd floor, hardwood floors, good natural light, water-view, off-street parking.
Lease, deposit, no pets
508 758-6565

Mattapoisett Village Apt. Yr round sm 1st flr. 1 bdrm \$625/mo. Lease, deposit. 508-758-2164.

Mattapoisett Village: Spacious 2BR Apt.
Quiet 1st fl, w/d hookup, new windows.
Nonsmoking bldg. \$900/mo 508-758-9513

Mattapoisett Village Yr Round House for Rent Living/dining rm, kitchen, glassed in porch, 2 BR, 1 BA, basement storage. Washer, dryer. Water view. Off-st parking. Walk to everything. No pets, no smoking. \$1100/mo plus utilities. 508-758-8974

Mattapoisett Year Rnd House For Rent. 2 bdrm, 1 BA, new deck, garage. Quiet neighborhood. No pets, no smoking. \$1,200 339-788-0985

Mattapoisett Year Round
Small neat and clean house. \$1,000. 508-758-9534

Mattapoisett Year Round: 3 bdrm Cape
Country setting in great neighborhood. Fireplace, attached 2 car garage and private yard.
\$1,575/mo. 508-758-9513

Mattapoisett Year Round, 4 room Townhouse with deck and full cellar. \$1125. 508-758-9534

MELINDA EATON DRAPERY WORKROOM

custom home and marine interiors
blinds, shades, drapes, cushions and more
508-758-9404 or email maekee@comcast.net

MIKE REZENDES PAINTING & WALLCOVERING also Taping, Skimming, walls, ceilings sm carpentry 32 yrs Exp- Ins Exc. Refs. 508-992-9196

MIKE'S APPLIANCE - Sales and Service - Experienced with all brands. Also available evenings, weekends and holidays.
Call Mike Healy at (508) 748-2557

MOVING SALE

4 person Spa, 8 jets, cost \$1500, now \$500; New keyboard, plays 40 instruments AND a new acoustic guitar in case, both for \$300; Craftsmen 10 drawer tool box on wheels \$50; 6'x5' dog kennel with gate \$75. Call 508-758-2330

Moving Sale

10 Main Street
Mattapoisett
January 24th
11-4

Moving? Two men and clean enclosed truck for hire. Licensed and insured local and long distance moving. \$85/hr. D.P.U. #29374.
(508)992-4021 or cell 508-525-0248

Need a Plumber?

Reliable. Reasonable.
Lic#25805 Joe 508-998-7019

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Ocean View 3 Bdrm Furnished Home Avail for Rent in Fairhaven. Jan-May \$1,700/mo+ util. Call 508-525-3552 or ccowens03@comcast.net. View at www.vrbo.com #187454

ODD JOBS / SMALL JOBS

Painting, carpentry, etc.
Call George 508-993-6336

OIL FURNACE CLEANING
Special For New Customers
\$75.00 Sen. Citizens \$15.00 OFF
with this ad. Exp. 1-31-09
508-984-4504 or Visit us at:
www.majorengineeringco.com
"For All Your Oil Heating Needs"

ONSET VILLAGE YEAR ROUND RENTAL

1 BR 2nd floor apt, off street parking, walk to beach/shops, avail Feb or Mar, sec 8 OK, lease \$775 + utilities. 508.758.3818

PAINTING: Interior/Exterior
Professional, Reasonable, Reliable, Ref's
10 yrs exp. No Job Too Small 774-451-7113

PAINTING PLUS!

Carpentry & Trim & Sidewall Repair
Interior & Exterior Painting
38 yrs experience. Lic.
Call Paul at 508-667-5632

PETER M. O'DONNELL ROOFING & SIDING

Vinyl Siding-Gutters-Cedar Shingles
Aluminum Trim-Windows-Doors
Licensed-Insured-Free Estimates-Over 35 yrs exp.
Lic #037601 Call 508-758-9682

Precious Metals: Still searching for Junk Cars- Truck-Equipment, etc. Fair prices paid, free removal. 508-763-8323

PROFESSIONAL SPACE TO SHARE

Needed-Massage Therapist or Aesthetician or Make-Up Artist to share 550 Sq Ft space in Wareham. \$260/mo. 508-295-4322

RENTAL Condo at Village of Mattapoisett! 2BR, 2.5BA, basement, garage, POOL, maintenance-free living. \$1600/mo & utilities. CALL Joeline 508-758-0473 Dawson RE

"Service is My Most Important Product"

Real Estate Today! Buying or selling.
Maximize value by being informed with up to the minute market values & trends.
Experience & Dedication at your Service.
Call for your confidential consultation today.
Alferes Realty **Bill Dumas** 508-758-2230

Ski Loon Mtn. 5 bedroom condo, sleeps 12.
Great for 2 families. Flexible dates available.
Only 3 hours away. Located just down the street from the Children's Center and gondola. Membership to the Mountain Club included-relax in the outdoor hot tub, indoor pool, or enjoy a massage. Our condo is fully equipped and linens are included. Rates start at \$350/nt which include cleaning. Call 508-858-9014

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Don't forget to wish these people a Happy Birthday!

Alexis Rezendes	January 15
Abigail Bentz	January 16
Joann Price	January 16
Robert Luebke	January 16
Robin Lamb	January 16
Hope Perkins	January 17
Lee Hamilton	January 17
James Alferes	January 19
Marie Sylvester	January 20
Nathan Perry	January 21
Paul Lopes	January 21

If you would like The Wanderer to announce a birthday for yourself, a friend or family member, please submit your information online to us at www.wanderer.com/birthday. To submit information by regular mail, please send the person's name (month and day) along with your name and phone number so we can confirm the information to Birthdays, c/o The Wanderer, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. You may submit birthday announcements anytime during the year and they will be published/posted during the appropriate week.

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

1			2	3		9	
		5		7		6	
	9		6				8
		7		8			1
3			2				4
	6				7	9	
		2	5				8
9					8		7
	3			4		1	6

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

rapid response team, and search and rescue team attached to the Southeastern Massachusetts Law Enforcement Council (SEMLEC).

Details and eligibility requirements are provided on the Law Enforcement Dimensions website: www.ledimensions.com/rochester. If there is a specific question that has not been addressed there, submit an e-mail to info@ledimensions.com. Any calls made directly to the police department or Law Enforcement Dimensions, may disqualify you from being hired.

Perhaps you know someone who is thinking of getting involved in law enforcement. This is a great opportunity for them to participate in the entry level testing process and possibly earn a career in law enforcement.

If you or anyone you know would like further information on this upcoming exam, please visit www.ledimensions.com/rochester. All registrations must be done online.

Mattapoisett Tree Committee

The Mattapoisett Tree Committee has been busy selecting and planting trees in town. Nine trees were planted which include the Beach House, Old Hammond-town School, and several scenic streets. They are always seeking new sites and donations for our spring tree planting.

They would like to thank the Bates family for their generous donation of a Princeton American Elm tree at the Beach House and Mr. and Ms. Peter Burlinson's donation of a lovely street tree in town. They appreciate NStar's efforts in donating and planting trees to replace those removed due to disease or proximity to electric lines. Thank you to Tom May of NStar and Paul Sellars, an Arborist with NStar. They appreciate and wish to thank all those who have donated trees or funds to the Tree Committee of Mattapoisett.

Nancy Souza, Deborah Smiley, Sandy Hering along with Roland Cote, the Tree Warden, have spent many hours preparing an application for Tree City USA. Upon recognition, many fine things will happen for the town. Being a Tree City USA offers a certain prestige and prominence for homeowners and businesses. In the

Dorothy Cox's Chocolates



Now Offering...
Beer or Wine to add to
our Custom Gift Baskets!

115 Huttleston Avenue, Fairhaven, MA 02719
Mon.-Fri. 9-7, Sat. 9-5, Sun 10-5
(508) 996-2465

A & A Auto

Quality Pre-owned Vehicles For Sale
79 Marion Road, Mattapoisett • 508-758-9500

Quality Repairs

- We repair all types of foreign & domestic vehicles
- Used tires available (assorted sizes)

Happy Holidays!

*Free Towing (3 mile radius) with repair work.

Call Alex 508-509-2292

FAIRHAVEN GAS

134 Huttleston Ave., Fairhaven • 508-992-0305

ART LESSONS



with

David Baggarly

Day and Evening Classes in Session

For information contact David
artdbaggarly@hotmail.com
or 508-758-4366

25 years experience

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

INTERIOR WALLS REMOVED REMODELING PROFESSIONALS

Innovation Const. Co.
www.keithsremodeling.com
30% Off Labor January Special
508-291-4907

J & J Painting

Quality interior painting and repairs
Free estimates. Call John Davidson 508-441-9607

JAMES OIEN - ELECTRICIAN

Upgrade old fuse panels, generator hookup, lighting, outlets, tv cable, etc.

NO JOB TOO SMALL!!!

508-748-0718 / 508-863-3067

License #31447E and Fully Insured

JERRY PEDRO

QUALITY INTERIOR PAINTING
Reasonable Prices-Free Estimates-Insured
508-763-8996

J.R. FONTECCHIO CONSTRUCTION

Complete residential & commercial improvements & repairs. Framing to custom finish carpentry, punchlist items to structural changes. Over 30 yrs exp, lic & ins. BBB Member. Please call John 508-997-0663/508-954-8782 fontecchioconstruction@hotmail.com

K W POWERWASHING & PAINTING INTERIOR-EXTERIOR - REFERENCES

Since 1985

Fully Insured

CALL KEVIN AT (508) 997-2892

Karaoke DJ for Hire

Seeking gigs @ local bars, restaurants & private parties. Wide variety of songs to choose from. Professional equipment and sound. Available 7 days a week. Rates starting @ \$150. Call Bob @ 508-454-1746.

Lawn Service

Clean Ups - Dump Trips - Mulch
Heavy brush cutting, chain saw
Jonathan 508-758-3347
Cell 508-287-4824

Local Carpenter with 20 years experience seeks your seasonal project: replacement windows, skylights, storm doors, mantels, finish work, decks, hard wood stairs, gutter guard.

Call Paul 508-763-9230

MARIONDOGTRAINING.COM

Successful and Affordable Since 1974
Jeanie Crosby 508-748-6754

Looking for a five or six week summer rental for either Point Connett, Crescent Beach or Pico Beach. Need 3BR & have no pets. Ready to close ASAP. Please contact Paul at (512) 532-5769 or email dpwpatriots@gmail.com if interested.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Loving and responsible Nanny & Mom available beginning late March to watch your children in our seaside home. Great daily rates and special summer rates. Excellent references available upon request.
508-990-1984

LOW DUST TO NO DUST FLOOR SANDING

Truck mounted vacuum gets the dust.
Wood floors, installed, sanded and finished.
Russell Browne 508-763-4459

MAKE A PERMANENT INVESTMENT IN YOURSELF and have a WASH n' WEAR FACE with no Raccoon Eyes by midday with permanent make-up at ABOUT FACE.

By appointment only. 508-295-4322.

FREE CONSULT. Gift Certificates Available

MARION VILLAGE HOUSE - For Rent YEAR ROUND rental. Two bedroom home on quiet street in village. \$1150 per month rent, plus utilities. Off street parking, nice backyard, nice neighbors. Close to Town Hall and the Library. Perfect for single or couple w/o children. No smoking, no pets. References required. Call 508-848-0027.

MARION VILLAGE YEAR ROUND RENTAL - Two bedroom cozy home near Town Hall. W/D, off street pkg. No smokers/No pets. \$1150 per month plus utilities. References. Call 508-748-0027.

MARION YR-ROUND RENTAL

Three-BR 1st floor apt. feels like single family home. Clean, sunny, large, 6-rooms with dining room, large eat-in kitchen. Modern bath and kitchen appliances, w/d hook-up, basement. Large yard and parking area. Non-smoking. One small pet ok. 1st., last, sec. dep. references. \$1175. Call 508 748-2678

Mattapoisett - Ned's Point Road

Year round efficiency w/loft bedroom. Gas heat, carpet, covered garage space. Lease, deposit, no pets.
508 758-6565

MATTAPOISETT APARTMENT

2nd fl, spacious 4 rm, off-street parking. Available now. \$750/mo no smoking. no pets. references. Call Sandra.
Dawson RE 508-758-3838

Mattapoisett: Great year round 3 bedroom country home, close to amenities. Excellent condition. Ready now. Asking \$1,200. 508-758-3983

Mattapoisett Roommate Wanted, own room, Historic home close to everything. \$500/mo includes everything. 843-290-5097, 508-758-2121

MATTAPOISETT SELF STORAGE

Personal and business storage
CLIMATE CONTROLLED UNITS

508-758-4311

The Wanderer Subscription Form

First Class Mail

☐ One Year \$58

☐ 6 Months \$29

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Starting Date:

☐ Immediately ☐ Renewal

Return completed form to:

The Wanderer

P.O. Box 102

55 County Road

Mattapoisett, MA 02739

Order on line at:

www.wanderer.com

Sudoku Answer

1	8	6	4	2	3	7	9	5
4	2	5	8	7	9	6	3	1
7	9	3	6	1	5	2	4	8
2	5	7	9	8	4	3	1	6
3	1	9	2	5	6	8	7	4
8	6	4	1	3	7	9	5	2
6	7	2	5	9	1	4	8	3
9	4	1	3	6	8	5	2	7
5	3	8	7	4	2	1	6	9

CROSSWORD SOLUTION

J	A	B		O	I	L	E	D		P	E	A	T		C	A	L	A	F
A	L	E		P	R	I	D	E		A	P	S	O		C	A	M	E	R
I	M	A	B	E	A	V	E	R		R	A	P	T		A	T	O	M	I
L	A	D	E	N		E	N	R	O	L		H	E	E	D		S	M	E
			G	U	I			R	O	S	A		L	E	M		I	S	T
P	I	N	U	P	S		S	Q	U	I		R	R	E	L		S	T	A
O	D	I	N		P	U	P	S		A	T	E		G	O	G	O	L	
L	I	E		S	I	D	E	C	A	R		L	A	M	I	N	A	T	E
L	O	C	A	L		O	U	R	S		O	D	E		E	D	I	T	
S	M	E	T	A	N	A		L	U	T	E		P	A	R	K		E	S
			M	O	U	S	E	T	E	R	S		D	E	G	R	E	E	
D	A	H		S	K	I	M		L	I	S	I		E	Y	E	L	I	D
E	L	A	N		E	D	O		D	A	M	P		L	I	N	E	N	
P	O	M	A	N	D	E	R		K	E	Y	P	A	D	S		I	C	E
P	E	S	T	O		Y	A	N		L	I	D	O		A	G	A	R	
			T	O	R	C	H		G	O	P	H	E	R	T	H	E	G	O
A	V	E		A	H	A		I	T	E	M			O	N	E			
W	O	R	M		E	T	A	T		B	O	U	T	S		O	N	S	E
A	D	D	A	M	S		L	A	M	B		R	A	T	B	U	T	L	E
S	K	A	T	E	S		E	T	A	L		G	R	I	E	G		U	R
H	A	M	E	L		C	E	D	E		E	A	R	T	H		G	O	

NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS

For Mattapoisett
Weekdays 9-3

508-758-4110



spring, Arbor Day will be recognized as a tribute to the town's dedication to our tree canopy. According to Tree City USA, which is supported by the USDA Forest Service Urban and Community Forestry Program, "Tree City USA program provides direction, assistance and national recognition to our community by supporting the framework for a sustainable urban forest."

Last year, the fifth graders at Old Hammond-town School created and displayed posters for Arbor Day which conveyed the importance of trees and wise environmental stewardship. Visit their website at www.trees-for-mattapoisett.org to view these posters and learn more about our committee.

Planting and caring for trees helps increase energy savings, clean the air and water and beautify the entire community and state.

The Tree Committee in Mattapoisett continues to be committed to the beautification of their hometown. Please consider planting a tree next spring or summer either at your home or town property. The Tree Committee appreciates donations to plant and preserve town trees. For further information, please contact Sandy Herring at 508-758-3008 or Elaine Botelho at 508-758-4909.

Loft School Open House

The Loft School of Marion Inc. is now enrolling for September 2009-2010. They are accepting applications for the three-day preschool class which is held on



**VILLAGE
SIGNS
MATTAPOISETT**

***BANNERS *TRUCKS *DESIGNING *BOATS
*INTERIOR/EXTERIOR SIGNS *JOBSITE
*LIFT SERVICES *GOLD LEAF *MAGNETICS**

508-758-2853

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and for the two-day preschool program which is Tuesdays and Thursdays. They have also added a new program on Mondays and Wednesdays for children who will turn 3 by November 15 and are potty trained. All classes are cooperative programs where parents share the first school experience with their child working in the classroom on a rotating basis. The Parent Information/Open House will be held on Thursday evening, January 29 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. For more information about any of the programs, please call Toni Cincotta at 508-748-1243.

Mattapoisett Council on Aging

The Mattapoisett Social and Wellness Center, the

•Collision Specialists •Expert Painting •Auto Rental Services •Glass Replacement •Frame Straightening •Color Matching •Towing

•Frame Straightening •Color Matching •Expert Painting •Auto Rental Services

ATTENTION DRIVERS

If you are involved in a collision you have the right to have your investment, your vehicle, repaired at a shop of your choice. Your insurance company may suggest a list of repair shops. Do not be persuaded by this list, it is not a guarantee of quality of services, nor does it limit your options. You want a shop who will work for you and with you to put your vehicle back to pre-accident condition. **COLLISION SERVICES OF MARION, INC.** is a licensed, bonded, registered repair shop with the state of Massachusetts. We work with all insurance companies to expedite your repairs. The important thing to remember is we repair the vehicle for you, our customers, not the insurance companies. So remember, if the need arises, contact **COLLISION SERVICES OF MARION, INC.** to get back on the road.

Collision Services of Marion, Inc.
391A Front St., Marion, MA 02738
Phone: 508-748-1441, Fax 508-748-1320
MA Reg.# 1103

•Collision Specialists •Expert Painting •Auto Rental Services •Glass Replacement •Frame Straightening •Color Matching •Towing

•Frame Straightening •Color Matching •Expert Painting •Auto Rental Services

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

DRYWALL: hanging - taping - skim coat.
Small jobs welcome. Very reasonable.
Call Dave 508-717-4694

Dump Runs and MORE Any cleanup, yards, some landscaping, houses, attics, apts, etc... and Metal... Call Cliff 508-472-8539

DUMP RUNS, YARD CLEAN UP,
REASONABLE PRICES
CALL STEVE 508-758-2608

Experienced Carpenter from Foundation to Finish
Interior/Exterior, Painting, Decks, Siding
Call Todd at 774-263-3820

FAIRHAVEN CENTER
Apartment for Rent-2nd fl.,3-4 BR,1BA, large kitchen,attic,laundry hook-up. \$995 monthly plus utilities. Feb. 1. 508-789-5014

Fairhaven House For Rent: Located in center of Town, steps to Fort Phoenix. Complete renovation! Brand new hwd floors. DW, washer, dryer, stove, fridge all incl. Plenty of off street parking, Beautifully landscaped & very private yard. 1st, last, security. \$985/mo 508-989-3779

Fairhaven-One Bedroom Apartment, \$725
Near Mattapoisett Town Line.
Hardwood Floors, Gas Heat, Large Rooms, Private Parking, Private Entrance, Porch
Call 508-317-0137

Fall is Here, Book Now
with KW Powerwashing & Painting
508-997-2892

**FED UP WITH HAM
& EGG CARPENTRY?**
For good old fashioned quality at reasonable prices, call the "Old Master Craftsman,"
R. Scott Armbruster. 508-758-2891

FINE FURNITURE RESTORATION
Free Estimates - 11 yrs experience
Do your Heirloom Antiques need some TLC?
Call Michael 508-997-1079
Hand Crafted Custom Furniture
www.floatingstonewoodworks.com

Florida Condo, Jupiter, Florida: 2 bed, 2 bath, with pool on golf course. \$1700/mo. 774-313-0201

FOR LEASE INDUSTRIAL PARK MATTAPOISETT
3,300 SF of production, or storage with an additional 1,400 SF of finished office space. The entire area is Heated, 3 Phase Power, fire sprinkled, includes a 5 Ton Jib Crane, a 48" loading dock with leveler & a 12"x14' drive overhead door. This space is expandable. Lease rate is negotiable.
CALL JOHN 508-758-4915

FOR RENT - MATTAPOISETT VILLAGE
2 BR, New appliances & linoleum Large Kitchen and remodeled Bath, Hardwood LR & DR, large walkin closet. \$850 mo. First mo. Security deposit, References. Pets negotiable. No utilities [very energy efficient] 508-758-3124

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

For Rent Mattapoisett Home
Country setting 3 bedroom/3bath
\$1700 call 508-277-5408

**For Sale 2001 Mercedes Benz
320E Wagon with 4 Matic
Great Condition, inside and out
Full Viti Service Record
Garaged in Mattapoisett -- will be sold for less
than Kelly Blue Book -- call 1-617-549-8497**

FREE!
2 male chinchillas to a good hm.
(774) 553-5483

FT MYERS, FL 2BRms 2Bth spacious lanai & liv rm. Lndry Gtd comm, pool, clubhouse, golf, Red Sox NSNP Avail. Mar. 16th on 508-992-9196

Guida's Cleaning
Portuguese Style, Home and Office
508-287-7947, 774-202-5510

**GUTTERS CLEANED
SEALED & REPAIRED**
Call Dave 508-596-3798, or 508-758-2621

HANDY MAN'S HELPER
Do you have a project you're not quite sure how to handle? Do you need some expert advice, the proper tools and a pair of competent hands?
A fair rate from one hour up.
Call Adam 508-758-4026, 508-523-4837

HARRY BENSON - HOME REPAIRS Interior & Exterior Painting, Power Washing, Carpentry.
Reasonable Rates. (508) 758-9839

Have Slides-No way to view. Looking for a reasonably priced Slide Projector. 508-758-2697

HOUSE FOR SALE!
Marion-2BR cottage in Dexter Beach, association beach w/dock, new heating system, \$179,000
LEASE/PURCHASE OPTION!
Marion-Don't miss out on this unique opportunity to lease with agreement to purchase a pristine 3BR, 2BA contemporary cape, full cellar, walk to association Dexter Beach w/dock. Don't wait! Call today for an appointment!

RENTAL HOMES
Mattapoisett-New Listing! Bright and sunny 3rd flr apt in center of village, beautiful harbor views, 2+BR, 1BA, \$975/mo
Marion-3BR, 2BA contemporary cape, garage under in center of village, \$1500/mo
-1+BR off Delano Rd, private, \$900/mo
SHORT TERM RENTALS still available
RACE REAL ESTATE 508-748-0479
www.raceonline.com

HOUSECLEANING-- Wkly, Biweekly, Monthly or one-time. Windows & Curtains. Exc. Refs. Call for Estimate--Sue @ 508-525-3012

I BUY TOOLS
Retiree buys machinist, automotive & woodworking tools to fix & resell to keep busy.
Call Rusty 781-789-0672

CLASSIFIED INFORMATION

Classified Policy: All Classified Advertisements must be prepaid and can be placed at our office or on line at www.wanderer.com.

Classified Deadline: Tuesday at 10:00 am for Thursday's paper.

Classified Rates:
Classified Advertisements are \$5.00 for 3 lines or less per week. Each additional line is \$1.00 per week. There are an average of six words per line.

Classified Guidelines:
*As a general rule there are approximately six words per line in a standard classified ad.
*Blank Lines cannot be used in Classified Advertisements.
*There is only upper case and lower case lettering.
*No Graphics may be used in Classified Ads.

Mailing Classified Ads: Ads can be mailed with payment to P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739

Dropping Off Classified Advertisements: Ads can be dropped by our office at 55 County Road in Mattapoisett, Monday, Thurs, Fri -9am to 3pm; Tuesday 9am to noon

Legal Advertisements:
* Legal Ads are \$1.00 per line, at a minimum of \$20. per ad.

off the mark by Mark Parisi



Robert Allen: Carpenter/Builder

New Construction, Additions, Garages
Interior and Exterior Renovations and Repairs
Decks Cedar Siding Sky Lights Screen Porches

Te: **508-758-4753** Lic. 044193, 30 Years in the Trade
Custom Carpentry

location of the Mattapoisett Council on Aging is located at the Center School in Mattapoisett. Enter at the main entrance; parking is located across the street near the church carriage shed or in the school lot. The Center is open Monday through Friday, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Please be reminded that with the Mattapoisett Council on Aging, as with all Councils on Aging, any and all are welcome to participate in activities or utilize services. The Mattapoisett Council on Aging works regularly with a vibrant group of individuals who are always willing to welcome a new face. Please call them at 508-758-4110 if you are interested in receiving our bimonthly newsletter or, if you wish to learn more about our services.

Weekly Schedule

- Thursday, January 15: 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 9:30 Bridge; South Shore Plaza trip, Braintree;
- Friday, January 16: 8:30 Shaws; 9:00 Weight Training Video; 10:30 Post Office/Library;
- Monday, January 19: center closed, Martin Luther King Jr. Day;
- Tuesday, January 20: 8:30 Stop and Shop; 8:30 Yoga with Tricia; 9:00 Weight Training; 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 9:30 Mary Kay; 10:30 Tedeschi's; 12:30 Movie: *Mamma Mia*;
- Wednesday, January 21: 12:00 Fitness with Karen; 12:45 Lunch with students; 1:30 Bingo;
- Thursday, January 22: 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 9:30 Bridge; Culinary Arts Museum and Lunch at Audrey's Restaurant;
- Friday, January 23: SERVE Delivery 11:30 am to 2:30 pm; 8:30 Shaws; 9:00 Weight Training Video; 10:30 Post Office/Library.

Police Visit

The Mattapoisett Police Department presents



- SEPTIC SYSTEMS
 - TITLE & SPECIALISTS
 - SITE PREP
- FREE ESTIMATES

Michael Murphy

Marion, MA



"Morning Chats with Officer Mitch Suzan, Mattapoisett's Elder Affairs Officer." Officer Suzan will touch base about senior safety issues, answer questions about scams and other issues. Just stop in to say hello on Monday, January 26 at 10:00 am at Mattapoisett Social and Wellness Center, 34 Barstow Street, Mattapoisett. This session is open to all the last Monday of the month at 10:00 am.

Mattapoisett, Healthy and on Budget

On Friday, January 30 at 10:00 am, the nutrition program from Coastline Elderly Services, Inc. will be at the Mattapoisett COA offering "Eating Healthy on a Budget" which is something we all need. Please plan to come by to learn how to plan meals, healthy and within budget. This event is free and open to all.

Marion Pediatrics

welcomes
Dr. Anju Gupta

We are delighted to announce the addition of Dr. Anju Gupta to our pediatric practice located at 404 Huttleston Avenue, Route 6, in Fairhaven. She will be working alongside Dr. Lily Khoury, Dr. Saba Shamoon, and Dr. Vanda Blinn in providing comprehensive care to infants, children and adolescents. Dr. Gupta is a board certified pediatrician who trained at Children's National Medical Center in Washington, D.C. She has been working in pediatrics as an attending physician at Golisand Children's Hospital in Rochester, New York.



Dr. Gupta is
accepting
new patients
at our office in
Fairhaven.

Please call us at
508-996-9333.

404 Huttleston Ave.
Route 6
Fairhaven



Marion Pediatrics
Fairhaven

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

5 FREE BOTTLES OF WINE

Host your own
IN-HOME WINE TASTING TODAY!

Jean Lomba
Personal Wine Consultant
Traveling Vineyard
508-758-7801
www.myttv.com/jean13401

'94 Volvo 4 door sedan
Best offer.
John 508-758-4915

ACUSHNET - 2 BR Apt for rent

2nd Fl, offstreet parking. Appliance w/ washer/
dryer hookups. \$700/mo plus util. 1st and security -
No Pets (508) 990-2200

All Types of Alterations
Men's - Ladies - Children
IT'S SEW EASY
Tailoring by Mario & Lucy Luzzo
62 Marion Rd., Mattapoisett
(508) 758-8983

Apple Computer Repair

The MAC Express at Wareham Crossing is an
Authorized Apple Service Provider. We can repair
any Macintosh new or old. We honor "AppleCare"
on any Mac. All work can be done in-house or on-
site by certified Apple Technicians. Call us today!
508-295-8100.

APPLIANCE REPAIR

Washers, Dryers, Stoves & More
508-954-5277

ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES

Design/As-Built Drawings/Permit Drawings
Adrian Johnson-Mattapoisett-774-526-2565

Art Lessons: Fox Run Studio offers Private
Instruction in all mediums. Children and adults,
coastal watercolors, commissions accepted.
508-758-9240

BUBBLES THE CLOWN
FACE PAINTING & ANIMAL BALLOONS
\$75/hour 508-998-9436

Boat For Sale

1995 Dyer 29 with 170 HP Yanmar with 460 hours.
Flag blue topsides. This boat is in great shape.
\$118,000 Located in Mattapoisett 617 823-1708

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

BOB'S LAWN SERVICE

Fall & Spring Cleanups
DUMP RUNS
508-996-0943 or 774-263-4002

Brand new 30"x80" EMCO, 2000 series storm/
screen door, white, purchased at HD for \$238. For
sale for \$138 and I will install to save you another
\$130. Call George 508-358-5039

CALL DAVE - THE LOCAL GUY
Maintenance & Repairs/Home Improvements
Roofing - Siding - Gutters - Decks
Quality Work - Low Prices
Call 508-596-3798 or 508-758-2621

chesapeake
bay Retriever pups AKC.born 8/12 females
\$700 508-759-2505

Child Craft solid oak crib & matching flip top
changing table w/3 drawers \$200 ea/bo; free local
delivery. Beautiful set! 508-728-7702

CLEANING from ceiling to floors, We do it all.
Weekly or One time. Call the Fussy Cleaners
508-971-5615 or 508-542-5380

**COMPUTER TRAINING FOR THE NEW
YEAR!** Technical Tutoring offers customized
training in Word, Excel, Email, P.Point & more!
Your Home or Office -Southcoast 508-889-9112

COMPUTER TRAINING Gift Certificates
make great Holiday Gifts! Technical Tutoring
offers tutoring in Word, Excel, Outlook, P.Point
& more! Evenings available. 508-889-9112

Cute 1 BR fully applanced home in Matt. Pet
considered. Non smokers only please. \$850/
mo. plus 1st, last and security. - no utilities- call
before 8pm Carl 508-717-1963

DOCUMENTS BY DESIGN

Mass Mailings • Newsletters
Brochures • Resumes
For All Your Typing Needs
508-992-3637 • documentdesign@verizon.net

The Wanderer

The Wanderer is an independently
owned and published weekly
newspaper that is distributed to the
public free of charge throughout
Mattapoisett, Marion, Rochester and
the surrounding communities.

Mailing Address:

The Wanderer
P.O. Box 102
Mattapoisett, MA 02739

Office:

55 County Road (Route 6)
Mattapoisett

Telephone: (508) 758-9055
FAX: (508) 758-4845

Web Page: www.wanderer.com

E-mail:

General/Advertising:
office@wanderer.com
News: news@wanderer.com

Deadlines:

(Display Ads) Friday at 3pm
(All Others) Tuesday at 10am

Office Hours:

Mon., Thur. & Fri. 9am-3pm
Tues. 9am - 12 noon

Staff:

Paul R. Lopes, Editor
Kenneth J. Souza, News Editor
Mary Redman,
Advertising Representative
Denise Mello,
Advertising Representative
Deb Morrell,
Advertising Representative
Patricia Aleks, Office Manager
Robert Chiarito, Correspondent
© 2009 Wanderer Com, Inc.
All rights reserved, no part of this publication
may be reproduced without permission.
ISSN 1559-1212

SHERMAN'S LAGOON by J.P. Toomey

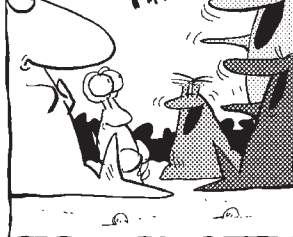
OKAY, GROUP, OUR NEWEST
MEMBER, SHERMAN, HAS A
FEAR OF SEA SNAKES...



...AND HOW DO WE HELP
NEW MEMBERS TACKLE
THEIR FEARS?



AHH HA HA
HA HA HA HA
HA HA HA



POINT AND
LAUGH THERAPY.
FEEL CURED?



REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

©2009 The Warren Group, reprinted with permission

Buyer(s)	Seller(s)	Address	City	Date	Price
No transactions this week.					

Upcoming Events

- Zeiterion Theatre: Discounted tickets available now for the new season at the Z.
- Boston Symphony Orchestra Open Rehearsals: All concerts are Thursday mornings at 10:30 am.
- Mystery Lunch, Thursday, January 29.
- Eating Healthy on a Budget, Friday, January 30 at 10:00 am.
- Tri-County Music Concert, February 1 at 3:00 pm.
- Fireside Grille, 12 noon on February 5.
- Boston Museum Fine Arts, February 12.
- Food Safety Presentation, February 17 at 1:00 pm.
- Rhode Island Flower Show, February 20.
- Atlantic City, New Jersey: March 23-25, 2009.
- Spirit of Boston Cruise with Tall ships and lunch on Thursday, July 9.

Millicent Movie Nights

The Millicent Library in Fairhaven will be hosting a new monthly Monday Movie Night series running from January to June. The theme of this series will be "Comedy Tonight."

"After the War Movies series, I figured it was time for something lighter," said Rob Gonsalves, who organizes Movie Night. "We'll be showing comedies from the 1940s to the 1990s. I tried to select films that people haven't seen a million times before."

The February 2 movie is Jacques Tati's *M. Hulot's Holiday* (1953), which "follows the adventures of a lovable French dimwit, Monsieur Hulot (played by Tati himself) as he spends the mandatory August vacation at a beach resort."

March 2 will bring Stanley Donen's *Bedazzled* (1967), "written by and starring Peter Cook and Dudley Moore, retelling the Faust legend in the Swinging London of the 1960s." The film is not rated, but is probably the equivalent of a PG.

The April 6 offering is Michael Ritchie's *Smile*

(1975), "a satirical comedy-drama focusing on small-town America and its peculiarities, preoccupations, and hypocrisies. The plot revolves around the contestants and people involved with California's Young American Miss Pageant held in Santa Rosa, California." This film is rated PG.

The May 4 comedy is Albert Brooks' *Lost in America* (1985). "Brooks stars alongside Julie Hagerty as David and Linda Howard, yuppies who are fed up with their lifestyle. They decide to take their savings and head out to see the country in a Winnebago, a recreational vehicle. The plan goes awry when Linda loses everything playing roulette at a casino in Las Vegas." The movie is rated R for language.

Finally, June 1 brings Joel and Ethan Coen's *The Hudsucker Proxy* (1994), "the story of Norville Barnes (Tim Robbins), a naive business graduate who is installed as president of a manufacturing company as part of a stock scam." The movie is rated PG.

All films begin at 7:00 pm and are free to the public. The films are shown in the Millicent Library Auditorium, accessible through the Walnut Street entrance. Check the library's website for changes or cancellations (www.millicentlibrary.org).



New England FenceWrights

167 Huttleston Avenue - Rte 6 - Fairhaven

CLASSIC QUALITY FENCES

We will be closed
for our annual
Winter Vacation
Jan. 1- Feb. 17th

508.991.8500




Visit our Showroom
FREE IN-HOME CONSULTATION & ESTIMATES

Beaver Tree Works

Tree and Landscape

We keep your property safe and looking good

beavertreeworks.com

Large/Difficult Tree Removal

Stump Grinding - Firewood - Mulch

Pruning • Trimming • Planting

Clearing



Winter
Discount
10% OFF
Services

Insured

Free Estimates

508-763-5008

All major credit cards accepted

Leave It To Beaver



Restaurant:
Mon.-Thurs. 12-9.
Fri. 11-10
Sat. 12-10
Sun. 12-9

Tavern:
Mon.-Thur. 12-10
Fri. 11-11
Sat. & Sun. 12-11



508-758-2333
508-758-4782
79 Fairhaven
Road,
Route 6,
Mattapoisset
Function
Room



Piano/Vocalist
Gary Langevin
Every
Saturday Night 7-10

Sunday Afternoon Football
Raffles • Appetizers
Large Screen TV

Native Bay Scallops

Local Tides

Date	Day	High		Low	
		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
January 15:	Thurs.	11:04	11:33	4:14	4:40
January 16:	Fri.	11:55	...	5:05	5:19
January 17:	Sat.	12:26	12:47	6:02	6:03
January 18:	Sun.	1:19	1:39	7:18	6:55
January 19:	Mon.	2:15	2:36	8:51	7:57
January 20:	Tues.	3:16	3:37	9:51	8:59
January 21:	Wed.	4:19	4:37	10:36	9:54
January 22:	Thurs.	5:15	5:29	11:16	10:44
January 23:	Fri.	6:02	6:14	11:55	11:31
January 24:	Sat.	6:42	6:54	...	12:33
January 25:	Sun.	7:18	7:31	12:17	1:11
January 26:	Mon.	7:52	8:07	1:01	1:47
January 27:	Tues.	8:26	8:43	1:43	2:19
January 28:	Wed.	9:02	9:20	2:21	2:50
January 29:	Thurs.	9:40	9:59	2:58	3:20
January 30:	Fri.	10:21	10:41	3:34	3:51
January 31:	Sat.	11:06	11:27	4:13	4:26
February 1:	Sun.	11:55	...	4:58	5:08

Phases of the Moon	Last Quarter	January 18th
	New Moon	January 26th
	First Quarter	February 2nd
	Full Moon	February 9th

off the mark by Mark Parisi



I Found the Aardvark!

Each week, hidden somewhere in the pages of *The Wanderer* is a tiny drawing of an aardvark. The little guy you are looking for looks exactly like the one pictured above (but don't put down this page as your answer, there's another one hidden somewhere in this issue).

Once you find the aardvark you can submit your answer online and if you are right you will get Aardvark Points! You can then use these points to get cool Aardvark Prizes!

Each time you find the Aardvark you will also be entered in our monthly drawing for other cool Aardvark Prizes.

If you would like to enter the monthly drawing by mail, send your name, address and phone number along with the issue date and page number you found him in to: Wanderer - I Found the Aardvark, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisset, MA 02739. Entries by mail will not be eligible for Aardvark Points.

To enter visit: www.wanderer.com and Click on "I Found the Aardvark"

**In the January 8 issue
the Aardvark was on page 1!**



Estate Planning for Seniors & Caregivers

Please join us for an informative presentation about estate planning. Learn about Durable Power of Attorney, Patient Advocate Designation documents, and the role of living trusts in your overall financial plan. Act today, and ensure peace of mind knowing your financial future is secure for tomorrow.

A question and answer session will follow the presentation. Light refreshments will be served.

For complete details and to RSVP, please call our Director of Community Relations.

EVENT DETAILS

Estate Planning for Seniors & Caregivers

With speaker Edward Haggerty -
President of Integrated Solutions

**Wednesday, January 21, 2009
4:00pm - 5:00pm**

**Please RSVP to Kathy Givens at
508-999-0404 by January 16th.**

Sunrise Senior Living is committed to furthering the knowledge of senior living topics through events and seminars designed to help and inform seniors and their caregivers.



Sunrise Assisted Living of Dartmouth

508-999-0404

274 Slocum Rd., Dartmouth, MA 02747

Assisted Living • Memory Care

For more information and a FREE online newsletter, visit
www.sunriseseniorliving.com

**Full Service
Repairs on
Saturdays**



Auto Sales

www.rrrautosales.com
for a complete inventory
of vehicles for sale,
includes photos and
prices

Open Mon-Fri 8-6, Sat 8-5



REPAIR FACILITY

372 HUTTLESTON AVE., FAIRHAVEN, MA • (508) 997-0423 - (508) 997-0573

TIRED OF BEING RIPPED OFF SERVICING YOUR VEHICLE?

“NOBODY beats our prices on repairs!”

**New Front or Rear Brake
Pads & Rotors Installed**

\$169.95

**most vehicles*

Winter Special

Coolant change, oil & filter change, new
wiper blades, safety check, tire rotation.

\$89.95

**most vehicles*

Oil and Filter Change

\$19.95

(Includes free safety check)

**most vehicles*

**New Front or Rear
Brakes Installed**

\$69.95

**most vehicles*

**Is the heater in your vehicle not working properly?
We can repair this at a low cost in most cases!**

FREE ESTIMATES!

**MA STATE INSPECTION
STATION**

EXPIRES

1

2010

MA INSPECTION No. 36657 STATION

**Free Scratch
Ticket with
Inspection Sticker**